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## Mainland Yard Takes Contract From Yarrows

City Firm to Get Another Within Week; No Loss of Jobs

Announcement of a new shipbuilding contract for Victoria, to take the place of a contract "transferred" to North Vancouver, will be made in "the course of a few days," E. W. Izard, general manager of Yarrows Limited, said here last night.

## Four More Invited To Alliance

WASHINGTON, March 17 (Thursday).—The Atlantic pact powers today invited Denmark, Iceland, Italy and Portugal to join in signing the proposed North Atlantic security treaty.

It is expected here that all four will do so.

The State Department issued this statement on the bids:

"Invitations have today been issued on behalf of the Governments of Belgium, Canada, France, Luxembourg, The Netherlands, Norway, the United Kingdom and the United States to the Governments of Denmark, Iceland, Italy and Portugal to join in signing the North Atlantic security treaty during the first week in April."

The inviting countries are those which drafted the text.

## Vote Dismisses Action On Liquor Issue in '49

By a vote of 37 to ten, members of the British Columbia Legislature yesterday indicated they wanted nothing done about the liquor question this year.

The vote came on a resolution sponsored by Opposition Leader Harold Winch recommending that a commission be appointed to investigate liquor distribution methods in various parts of the world, learn the views of the people of the province, and make recommendations for the purpose of encouraging temperance and having liquor consumption in public places under proper conditions and environment.

In the voting, two C.C.F. mem-

## 47 Mennonites En Route Home

EMERSON, Man., March 16 (CP).—Forty-seven Mennonites reached this point at the Minnesota-Minnesota border today on the way back to Canada from Paraguay.

and immediately split up into smaller groups for the last stage of their journey.

The Mennonites traveled by plane from Paraguay to New York and then by chartered autobus from New York to Emerson.

They had been among 1,700 Mennonites who left last Spring for the South American country to take up farm life there. Spokesman for today's group, Cornelius Friesen, 42, of Winkler, Man., said those in the party had returned only with clothing and personal belongings. They had sold stock and machinery to Mennonites who remained in Paraguay.

## Vancouver Chinese Can Now Gamble Openly and Legally at Own New Club

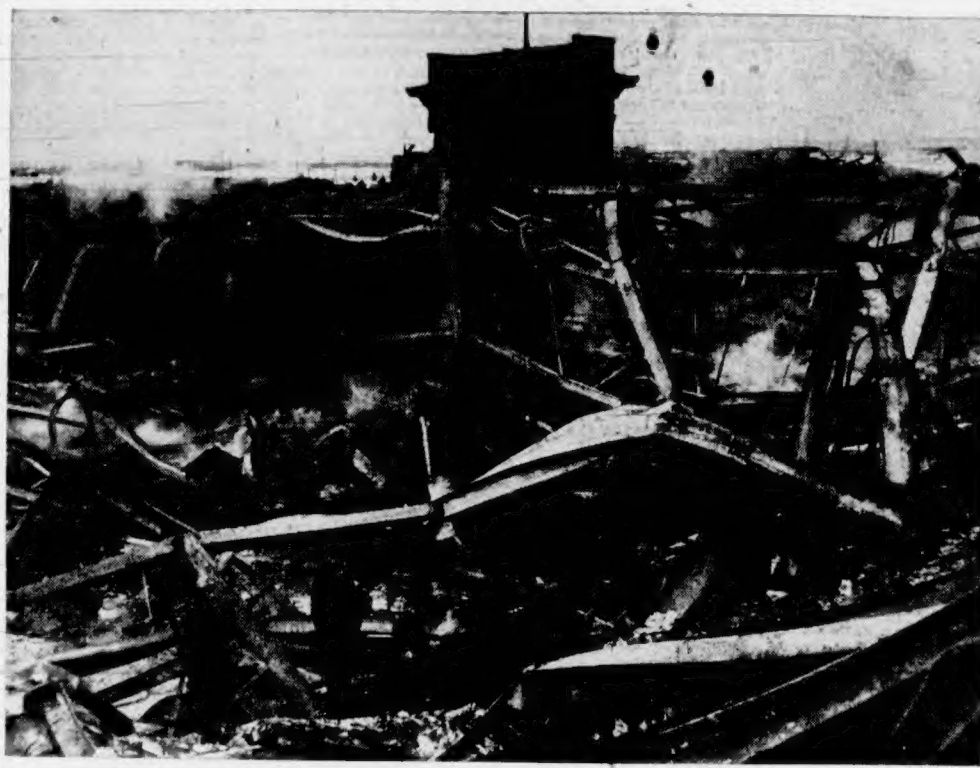
VANCOUVER, March 16 (CP).—Placid Chinese shuffled their Yin Gow dominoes here tonight without fear a policeman's shadow would mar their play.

For the first time in the city's history Chinese are gambling openly and legally. They have legalized their favorite pastime—gambling—at a cost of ten cents a year apiece.

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## Scene of Million-Dollar Fire in Montreal



The Quebec Coliseum, home of the Quebec Aces and Citadels, senior and junior hockey league teams, and large civic sports centre, is shown here after a raging blaze reduced the three-story red-brick building into a mass of rubble and twisted steel. Losses were estimated at close to \$1,000,000. No one was injured.

## Satellites Declared Rearming

LONDON, March 16 (CP).—Western powers accused Russia and three of her satellites today of going back on their commitments.

Britain declared Communist-ruled Bulgaria, Romania and Hungary, now in the Soviet bloc after wartime partnership with Germany, were secretly rearming, in violation of their peace treaties, with Russia's connivance and support.

The United States State Department, in a note to Moscow made public today, accused Russia of violating at least six separate promises to return all German war prisoners in Soviet hands by the end of 1948. It renewed a demand that they be turned loose.

### SIMILAR NOTES

France and Britain sent similar notes, the State Department said. The British note estimated at least 200,000 German P.O.W.'s still are in Russian hands. Russia contends she was never bound by any agreement to repatriate the captives by last December 31. The United States, Britain and France contend the Big Four Foreign Ministers reached such an agreement in April of 1947.

State Minister Hector McNeill told the House of Commons that Bulgaria, Romania and Hungary are guilty of "flagrant violations of the peace treaties" in rearming and hinted Britain will take the matter to the United Nations.

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## May Sign Pact Without Russia

WASHINGTON, March 16 (CP).—Canada, the United States and Australia said today that Russia is asking more than she is entitled to under the proposed international wheat agreement.

They asked importing countries to sign a pact with them alone, excluding the Russians.

Dr. Charles F. Wilson of Canada told a press conference the Russian delegation "made no objection" to the Canadian-American-Australian proposal.

Wilson said Canada, the United States and Australia "considered 50,000,000 bushels a generous offer" to Russia. It compared "very favorably with the Soviet's average export of 9,000,000 a year in the 1920's and 30,000,000 in the 1930's."

Wilson, chairman of a committee of exporters, said the Russians originally asked to supply 100,000,000 bushels of the 495,000,000 bushels of wheat expected to be able to buy each year. That figure later was cut to 75,000,000 bushels.

But Canada, the United States and Australia, think 50,000,000 is plenty, Wilson said. The Russians had replied officially that "while they were interested in participating in an agreement, they were not prepared to do so on any less than 75,000,000 bushels."

Importers therefore had been urged to approve an agreement with only three major exporters. F. Sheeh Anderson group, said the proposal was under consideration.

"We are very reluctant indeed to consider an agreement with Russia out and we want first to see if we can't arrange for her to be in," Anderson said.

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Price proposals for the four-year agreement remain as outlined by the exporters ten days ago: A \$1.80 maximum and minimum dropping ten cents a year from \$1.50 to \$1.20.

Wilson declined to answer a question about the relationship of the \$1.80 maximum with the \$2 top in the Anglo-Canadian agreement. But J. C. Van Esche of Belgium, acting chairman of the conference, said the unsuccessful agreement of last year contained a provision whereby bilateral pacts in force prior to the international agreement would remain in effect.

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## BULLETINS

### Sealer Safe

HALIFAX, March 16 (CP).—The three-masted sealing vessel Alfred and Emily arrived safely in the Cape Breton port of Louisbourg tonight, the R.C.A.F. and R.C.M.P. marine section reported here.

R.C.A.F. reported earlier they had received a call saying the storm-tossed vessel was in Gabarus Bay flying a distress signal.

The current contract, which ended the 23-day strike of transit workers in November, 1947, expired March 1.

Present pay rate is \$1.04 an hour for motormen and conductors on two-man operated cars, and \$1.10 an hour on one-man cars and buses.

Mr. Hart said that Victoria is not affected by the recent "safety rules" discussion which has arisen in Vancouver following a threat by Police Chief Walter Mulligan that traffic safety rules would be enforced more strictly.

Drivers claimed that they were being "pushed" by B.C. Electric to maintain schedules.

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On Prince Edward Island, all transportation was out except transit which was running behind schedule. Blustery winds up to 60 miles an hour drifted snow badly in rural areas. Some roads had just been opened, others were still plugged tight as a result of storms during the last month.

Milk companies were not delivering, even with horses. Some break in telephone and power lines were reported.

Telegraph companies reported lines were down near Antigonish, on the Mainland side of the Strait of Canso. Canadian Pacific Telegraphs lost 15 poles in the area. Canadian National Telegraphs were also disrupted.

WIND SUBSIDES

Weather officials said the wind had subsided and snow had ceased to fall, except along the north shore of Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island. Heavy drifting was expected in those areas.

Forecasters were caught with their prognostications wrong. The storm was noticed Tuesday off Florida. Moving at "phenomenal" speed, the small but potent storm reached the Maritimes Tuesday night and was centred over Cape Breton this morning.

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## Transport Men Put Wage Issue To Conciliation

B.C.E.R. Says \$2,100,000 Needed To Meet 25 Cents Per Hour Boost

A conciliation board will be asked to resolve the present deadlock in wage negotiations between the British Columbia Electric Railway Company and representatives of 2,600 members of the Street Railwaymen's Union in Victoria, Vancouver and New Westminster.

"We will make our next statement before a conciliation board," delegate Albert H. Hart said after an executive meeting of the union, last night.

"Then we'll have plenty to say."

AT STANDSTILL

Negotiations for a new contract, which have been under way for some weeks, have come to a standstill, he stated.

A company spokesman said last night that wage negotiations "were proceeding slowly."

The company is claiming that it would cost \$2,100,000 a year to meet demands for a 25 cents an hour wage boost and a 40-hour week, "with no loss in take-home pay."

Mr. Hart said that operators, motormen and conductors work a 46-hour week at present. Garage and barn men work 44. Actually the union wants a straight six-hour weekly reduction in working hours, he stated. This would mean a 38-hour week for garage and barn workers.

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One of Northwestern Ontario's few women trappers, Miss Lillian Plummer of Gunflint Lake area, is seen at Port Arthur Department of Lands and Forests Office registering Winter's catch of beavers. Veteran trapper also brought to market one mink, three fisher, six squirrels and 15 weasel. Game Overseer Jim Aitchison looks over furs.

## Indict Woman Employee For Removing U.S. Data

WASHINGTON, March 16 (AP)—Judith Coplon, former Justice Department employee accused of aiding a Russian agent, today was indicted for a second time.

## No New Taxes Set for State

OLYMPIA, Wash., March 16 (AP)—There will be no new taxes enacted by the 31st Legislature for current operating expenses of the state.

That decision was announced tonight by Republican Senator Harry Binner and Democratic House Speaker Charles W. Hodde, majority party leaders in each House.

One other item remained on the agenda. That is an \$80,000,000 bond issue for school and institutional construction. Hodde and Binner said conferees have agreed on a three-way split calling for \$40,000,000 for schools, and \$20,000,000 each for institutions and higher education.

## J. D. McKenna Dies Aged 74

SAINT JOHN, N.B., March 16 (CP)—Death today ended the diversified career of James D. McKenna, 74, an outstanding spokesman for the Maritime provinces. He had been ill several months.

His wide field of activities in a busy life also included newspaper work in which he was for half a century reporter, correspondent, editor and publisher.

He was Liberal member of the New Brunswick Legislature for Kings County from 1922 to 1925, several times Mayor of Sussex, and Saint John mayor from 1944 to 1948.

## Experts Produce New Longest Word

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., March 16 (NANA)—Lexicographers here at the headquarters of the G. & C. Meriam Company, publishers of Webster's Dictionary, have come up with a new one—an illness whose name might be more than the disease.

It's pneumonoultramicroscopically-cyberneticosis. Dictionary experts said it is a new word for a form of lung disease caused by the inhalation of a fine silicate or quartz dust, especially by miners. Needless to say, it's the longest word in the dictionary.

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## States No General Emergency Exists To Warrant Controls Under One Bill

OTTAWA, March 16 (CP)—George Drew, Progressive Conservative leader, said today in the Commons there exists no general emergency that would warrant a government "drunk with power" to continue wartime controls under one bill.

He made the statement while continuing his party's fight against a resolution to a bill providing for a one-year extension of controls on domestic rents, certain food prices, building priorities, steel and lumber. The battle, started Monday, moved ahead one stage when members voted 141 to 53 to go into committee of the whole to study the details of the resolution.

**LITTLE SUPPORT**  
But the division, which saw the Progressive Conservatives supported only by Frederic Dorian (Ind.-Charlevoix-Basque) and Real Caouette, L'Union des Electeurs member for Pontiac in Quebec, was barely over when Mr. Drew was back on his feet.

The Opposition Leader reiterated the Government should bring in separate bills covering each of the various types of controls it proposed to continue. Such bills would bring an end to the arbitrary powers in the hands of autocratic controllers.

Parliament had to declare that a general emergency existed in the country to warrant the passage of an omnibus bill containing all the controls it planned to extend.

**NO GENERAL EMERGENCY**  
Mr. Drew said he did not agree that there still is a general emergency arising out of the war. Mr. Lesage said if there was no emergency how could the constitution justify the extension of controls on matters that came under provincial jurisdiction.

The Opposition Leader replied there was a distinction between a general emergency and a specific emergency. There might be cases where a specific emergency existed.

Pointing to the cabinet he said that in it were the "mechanics of a dictatorship" and "men drunk with power."

There were those, he said, who were saying the Progressive Conservatives were opposing rent and other controls because of their demands for separate statutes in place of the Omnibus Bill.

Justice Minister Garson stepped briefly into the discussion to answer a number of questions. He said there are no extensive changes in the control orders which the Government plans to continue. One of the main changes was that the Price Board will not have power to fix prices or to launch prosecutions except so far as the few products still under control are concerned.

The products include butter, sugar, molasses, certain classes of fruits and vegetables, bread and flour.

**Asserts Peer Seeking War**  
LONDON, March 16 (Reuters)—Moscow radio today said that Lord Vansittart, former diplomatic adviser to the British Government, wanted a new war and a "more merciless policy towards people who disobeyed British rule."

The broadcaster said: "Lord Vansittart demands new force should be put into B.B.C. broadcasts and greater use made of traitors who fled from their countries to escape punishment..."

**RADAR FORERUNNER**  
Heinrich Hertz demonstrated in 1887 that electromagnetic waves can be reflected, the basic principle upon which radar is based.

**BIG CHANCE**  
In Central Africa, iron discs about ten to 12 inches in diameter were used as money during the last half of the 19th century by the Bongo tribe.

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**SEVENTY INDIANS SEEK REDRESS FOR ALLEGED TREATY VIOLATIONS**  
WINNIPEG, March 16 (CP)—Seventy Indians, whose forefathers relinquished their lands to the white man in the days of Queen Victoria, threatened today to beat a war-path back to the home of their departed Great White Mother.

Seeking redress of alleged wrongs under the Victorian-day treaty rights, the delegates to the national convention here of Canadian Indians served notice that they were prepared to go to the Privy Council in Great Britain if action on their requests was not forthcoming from the Federal Government.

Appointment of an emissary to Ottawa, armed with resolutions passed by the convention, was considered by the Indians who came here from reservations all across Canada.

**ASK COMMISSION**  
Among resolutions approved by the convention was one requesting the Government to appoint a commission to deal with claims under treaty rights and reconvene immediately the joint Senate-House committee to review the Indian Act.

The Indians demanded the right to elect their own representative to sit with the commission.

Speakers said the Government promised at the last session of Parliament to have the joint committee and the claims commission working this year but that nothing had been done.

Grievances dating back to the treaties signed by Indian chiefs and the Government of Queen Victoria were thoroughly aired as discontent over alleged mistreatment simmered among the delegates.

**REVENUE ISSUE**  
Frank Assu of Steveston, B.C., president of the North American Indian Brotherhood, said that under the treaty with British Columbia, one of the promises made was that one-third of all revenues collected in that Province should go to the Indians.

"We haven't got it yet," he said.

**FOUR CHILDREN DIE IN BLAZE**  
KAPUSKASING, Ont., March 16 (CP)—Four children were burned to death in an isolated backwoods farm yesterday 250 miles northwest of Sudbury.

Killed were Jean Paul Perrault, four, and his brothers, Antoine 2½; Morris, 18 months, and Roger, six months.

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## Trans-Jordan, Israel Agree To Armistice

RHODES, March 16 (CP)—Israel and Trans-Jordan have come to terms on an armistice line for the Jerusalem sector, it was officially announced tonight.

No details were given. At the same time the United Nations mediator, Dr. Ralph J. Bunche, announced that detailed reports from official United Nations observers showed that no clash had taken place between Israeli and Arab forces in the Agaba area, as reported from Amman, Trans-Jordan, five days ago.

CANBERRA (CP)—The world's first two-way radio set, suitable for light planes, has been produced by an Australian firm to sell at approximately \$259. The small set has a ground range of about six miles, an air range of over 30 miles.

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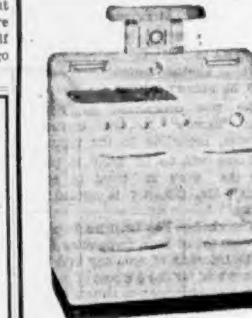
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## Begorra, 'Tis the Day All Irishmen Revere

Tunes of the Emerald Isle will be hummed, whistled and sung on Vancouver Island today, St. Patrick's Day, when all good Irishmen meet and tell high tales of days gone by.

With heads high, merry twinkle in eyes, Irishmen all over the world will walk with a lighter step, each with the Shamrock green in lapel or hair.

Many St. Patrick's Day celebrations will be held in private homes and the famous tune "The Wearin' of the Green" will resound on highways and byways of the world.

### SCOTS, YES

In Victoria one of the leading St. Patrick's Day celebrations will be staged by a Scottish organization. And many is the argument that will wax hot and heavy as to who wore the first kilt, Irish or Scots—and to the merits of the bagpipe—Scott or Irish.

Tonight at the K. of P. Hall, Pipe-Major Ian Duncan will demonstrate that Irish tunes can be played to the skill of the pipes (Scottish) when he is featured at the St. Andrew's and Caledonian Society St. Patrick's Day concert and dance.

And Scots lads and lassies will dance Irish jig and reel that will warm the cockles of any Irishman's heart. The dancers will be under direction of Adeline Duncan.

### EAGLES, TOO

Aerie No. 13, Fraternal Order of Eagles, will celebrate St. Patrick's Day as part of its 50th anniversary festivities with an entertainment and dance at the Club Sirocco, with Ray Walnright as master of ceremonies.

The Princess Patricia Highland Light Infantry Association will celebrate Princess Patricia's (after whom the regiment is named) birthday at the regiment's annual dinner in her honor at the Club Sirocco at 7:30 p.m.

Princess Patricia, now Lady Patricia Ramsay, is Colonel-in-Chief of the regiment.

In many places the legend of St. Patrick will be told and retold today.

### WELSHMEN

Revered as he is by Irishmen all over the world St. Patrick was not born in Ireland. Tradition sets his birthplace in Wales about 380. He came to Ireland as a prisoner, carried off at the age of 16 by a band of Irish marauders, who raided Britain.

## Cut Finger Results In Fracas

City police, somewhat wearily, refer to them as "tenant-landlord" troubles.

Latest of the type sent a disputant to hospital for treatment to a cut finger.

It all started when a former occupant of a suite in the house returned for stove, blinds, and light bulbs which she said were hers. She was accompanied by relatives.

According to the record, the householder, to whom it may have looked like too much of a clean sweep, phoned the police.

He said the blinds and the light bulbs were his.

After this, his "resistance" apparently led to the cut finger episode.

Police said they believed he managed to retain possession of the blinds.

## The Local Scene

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### Speechcraft Group Speaker Outlines North Atlantic Pact

The ability to defend oneself is the only solution to world peace, Alex McCabe, Victoria Toastmaster's Club, No. 38, told members of Speechcraft last night at a dinner-meeting at Terrys.

Mr. McCabe chose "The North Atlantic Pact," as a subject in current events.

The speaker explained how to build a speech on any current event from material furnished by newspapers and magazines.

"The pact is a treaty between Western nations to guarantee support in event of any member nation being attacked by a hostile power," Mr. McCabe explained.

Major William Oliver, Toastmaster Club No. 38, was chairman. Table topics was led off by Denis Taylor. Toastmaster was Percy Wright.

Three ten-minute talks were given. "Talk About What You Know," by Harry Sparks; "Gathering Speech Material," by Jack Chapman, and "Speech Subjects in Current Events," by Alex McCabe.

Three three-minute speeches were given by Dr. Clapham, B. Williams and Robert Whyker.

J. C. Finlay evaluated diction and Thomas Watson was general critic of speeches.

### NOT PROPAGANDA

True public relations is not a propaganda machine but a responsibility to tell the story of a company or industry with truth and accuracy, W. C. Mainwaring told members of Victoria Chapter of National Office Management Association here Tuesday.

Mr. Mainwaring is a vice-president of the B.C. Electric.

"In public relations, the company employee is a dominant factor and public judgment of the company hinges on the action of the employee," he said.

### MISSING WOMAN

A search for Mrs. Gwendolyn Bellows, 28, of 710 Port Street, is being conducted by city police, who have asked citizens to co-operate.

Mrs. Bellows disappeared at 8 p.m. Tuesday when she left Royal Jubilee Hospital to board a Mount Tolmie bus.

She is slightly more than five feet in height, has dark hair and complexion, wears glasses and was wearing a brown coat.

### WALLET LOST

A. E. Weaver, 764 Snowdrop Avenue, reported to city police yesterday the loss of his wallet containing \$73 in the vicinity of the Hudson's Bay Company store.

### MAN COLLAPSES

Henry Gortner, 1011 McClure Street, was taken to Royal Jubilee Hospital by city police yesterday morning after cutting his forehead in a fall on Vancouver Street.

Police said Gortner collapsed on the street. He was taken home after hospital treatment.

### CITY FEATURED

Victoria will be featured on the radio program "Town of the Week," to be heard over C.J.V.I. and the entire Dominion network of the C.B.C. next Wednesday between 2 and 2:30 p.m.

The program, originating in Eastern Canada, will also feature a special presentation to the Victoria Gyro Club, chosen as the club which conducted the greatest service to the city during 1948.

### GUEST SPEAKER

Henry Burke, president of the Canadian Chamber of Commerce, Montreal, who has just returned from England, will be guest speaker at a general membership meeting of the Victoria Chamber of Commerce Monday at Loughheed's Banquet Club, at noon.

Chamber officials ask that reservations for the meeting be made early.

### DEFINITE PLACE

There is a definite place for British Columbia grown bulbs in the florist industry of Canada, J. J. Crossley told members of the

### Today's Question

Answer on Page 4

Are there differences in the blood of the different human races?

British Columbia Bulb Growers' Federation at a meeting this week.

"Holland is copious of this new industry in British Columbia and is trying to recapture its old position as sole supplier for this market," he said.

Mr. Crossley is a horticulturist at the Dominion Experimental Station, Saanichton.

Other speakers were Archie Bain and Joseph Howroyd.

### COLLECTIONS SOUGHT

To ease the rush on the accounting staff, Red Cross campaign officials requested yesterday that all canvassers turn in their collections before the end of the week.

Greater Victorians have so far contributed \$36,000 to the drive. Objective for this area is \$65,000.

Meanwhile, a total of 230 persons donated at the Red Cross mobile blood clinic yesterday at Britannia Branch, Canadian Legion. More donors are needed for this afternoon, officials said.

### IRISH SHOW

Pianoforte solo by Fred Boehke with C. Butler as accompanist will feature in the Irish variety show and dance sponsored by Army, Navy and Air Force Veterans in Canada, Friday at 8 p.m.

The show will include an Irish comedy act by J. Dobbie; banjo solos, A. Alexander; tenor solos, Dudley Wickert; Irish songs, T. Obee, and dancing pupils of Miss Wynne Shaw's Dancing School.

The dance and show will be held in the organization's headquarters, Wharf Street.

### J. Fairweather Heads Legion In Esquimalt

J. I. Fairweather was elected president by acclamation at Esquimalt Branch No. 172, Canadian Legion, last night.

Other officers elected were N. O. Carpenter, first vice-president; K. J. Oldfield, second vice-president; N. Carson, sergeant-at-arms; F. Fry, treasurer; T. G. Sewell, finance; J. W. Gibbons, ways and means committee; D. A. Neale, membership; W. N. French, publicity; J. E. Carey, sick, pensions and appeals, and W. Hagar, house committee.

Zone council representatives are A. H. C. Jones and W. N. French, with alternatives, F. J. Hill and C. L. Madill.

N. O. Carpenter, A. C. Latier and F. D. MacPherson were named to the grievance committee.

C. L. Madill, past president, gave thanks to the executive, members and friends for support during the past year.

J. R. Downey and Mr. Oldfield were presented certificates of merit in recognition of services.

### GUEST SPEAKER

Rev. James Forrester will be guest speaker at an extension Bible conference at Central Baptist Church tonight at 8 o'clock.

He is president of Westmount College and former Inter-Varsity Christian Fellowship official.

Rev. Chester Rutledge will conduct the conference.

### Good Island Highway Essential To Develop Island, Carson Says

A good Island highway will probably do more than anything else to promote development of Vancouver Island, Works Minister E. C. Carson told the Victoria Real Estate Board yesterday in the Empress Hotel.

Approximately \$1,250,000 will have to be spent on a 20-mile stretch of the Island Highway between Duncan and Ladysmith before its completion this year, he said.

A total of \$1,180,000 will also be spent on bridge construction on the Island.

Plans were being made, Mr. Carson said, for an "express" route to link the city with the Island Highway, but no route had been yet decided.

### AID NEEDED

Mr. Carson said it was hoped the Federal Government will offer assistance to the provinces for highway construction and maintenance.

British Columbia, with a population of 1,200,000, and an area of 385,000 square miles, had a total of 22,000 miles of highways, the minister pointed out.

It was unfair to compare British Columbia highways with those of Washington state, Mr. Carson said as the state's population was nearly three times as big and the United

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## Asks Inquiry Be Reopened On Scientist

WASHINGTON, March 16 (AP).—Representative Harold Velde (Rep. Ill.), who is a former agent of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, demanded today that the committee on un-American activities of the House of Representatives reopen an investigation of "Scientist X" and a Russian "atomic spy ring."

The committee is understood to have new evidence.

Now a committee member, Velde was in the FBI's sabotage and counter-espionage division from 1943 to 1946.

### UNCOVER RING

During that period, he said, "a Russian espionage ring was uncovered which was perhaps the most treacherous known in history."

He said Scientist X, identified only as a former California University professor, was involved.

The committee looked into atomic spying in secret sessions last year. Velde was one of the witnesses, before he was elected to Congress.

### ISSUED REPORT

Later the committee issued a report listing atomic espionage and the Scientist X case as unfinished business.

Since then, the committee is reported to have discovered additional evidence, part of it relating to operations at the Los Alamos atomic project in New Mexico.

## Oddities

MATTOON, Ill., March 16 (AP).—The Mattoon Journal-Gazette got out a special edition yesterday and mailed a copy to Prime Minister Stalin in Moscow.

A section of the paper, boasting a picture of the Mattoon trading area, was printed entirely in red.

Enclosed with the complimentary copy was a note suggesting that Stalin "pass it around" to acquaint Soviet associates with bargains offered under the free enterprise system in the United States.

PITTSBURGH, March 16 (AP).—A man's failure to cash a one-cent cheque held up settlement of a bankruptcy suit for seven months.

A dividend cheque for one penny went to Ferrel Morrow of North Hollywood, Calif., last August. He never cashed it.

As a result the Federal District Court couldn't close his books on the affairs of a defunct dressmaking firm.

So, asked counsel for the firm, wouldn't the Government please take the penny?

Judge Nelson McVicar accepted on behalf of the United States Government.

VANCOUVER, March 16 (AP).—A woman flicked a light switch today in the safety deposit vault of the Main and Hastings Street branch of the Bank of Montreal, and the next thing she knew the bank was swarming with police.

The reason: The light switch wasn't a light switch. It was the bank's holdup alarm.

HIGH PRESSURE TILES Floor and wall tiles are shaped under a pressure of about 2,000 pounds per square inch before being fired.

Plan Centre for Tracer Atoms To Solve Industrial Problems

OTTAWA, March 16 (AP).—Resources Minister MacKinnon said today the Government is going to establish a radioactive tracer laboratory to pioneer Canadian investigations into the application of the tracers to industrial and scientific problems.

The radioscopes or tracer atoms from the Chalk River Atomic plant already are being used for a number of medical and other investigations and the Government has been urging industry to use them as the greatest research weapons turned up since the invention of the microscope.

TO TEST CRUDE OIL The Minister also announced new steps will be taken for the testing of crude oil produced in Alberta to help in obtaining maximum yields of high grade products.

The new tracer laboratory will come under the department's Bureau of Mines in Ottawa.

The minister said the government estimates tabled this week in the Commons also provide for an

## Figures in U.S. Mine Work Stoppage



Central Press Canadian.

UNITED Mine Workers' President John L. Lewis (left) has called two-week "suspension of mining" east of Mississippi River by 400,000 hard and soft coal miners. Shut down was ordered, Lewis asserted, to "emphasize" United Mine Workers' Union's opposition to Dr. James

Byrd (right), as director of Federal Bureau of Mines. Later was nominated by President Truman on March 7, 1947, and has served without pay pending his confirmation by Senate. Some 425,000 hard and soft United States coal diggers are home from work and Lewis says they will stay out of pits until March 28.

It was not necessary that the bomb be dropped by air. It was "conceivable that the immunity of a diplomatic dispatch case might serve the dire purpose."

LENGTHY DISPERSAL In view of such facts, "dispersal of Government personnel and administration may take a long time and it just might happen that we are not too early to start such a consideration."

Senator Davis said he could conceive of the Senate someday setting up a rotation of absences "which would be necessary for the country's welfare."

He considered that Winnipeg was "doing a very foolish and dangerous thing on the long term point of view" in assembling all hospital services along with the Medical College on one spot for medical efficiency.

The world was either in the atomic age or it wasn't. If it was, "such perseverance in routine concentration of administration personnel and facilities in transportation, government offices, Parliament, hospitals and medical services is dangerous and we should not allow the mere inertia of our thinking to prevent us from taking remedial measures while we yet have time."

WOULD BE WIPED OUT Official American and British reports indicated that even an obsolete atomic bomb such as that used at Hiroshima would destroy in Montreal the head offices of the C.P.R., the direction offices of the C.N.R. and T.C.A., the Sun Life Insurance Co., McGill University, The Royal Bank of Canada, the Bank of Montreal and a large part of the harbor area.

While officials were advising decentralization, it was "the height of absurdity and foolhardiness to increase the long-term hazard and peril to Canada by adding further concentration of the administrative control of transportation to one city centre."

A Hiroshima bomb against Ottawa could destroy the Parliament buildings, the Justice, Confederation and Supreme Court buildings, several wartime structures and defence headquarters.

Blame Feed Cost For Fewer Chicks

VANCOUVER, March 16 (AP).—A severe winter in Western Canada and high cost of feed are the two chief factors causing a shortage of early hatched chicks this year, poultrymen here said today.

They were commenting on a report from the Dominion Department of Agriculture at Ottawa, that reports indicate a keen demand for chicks and there are not sufficient eggs to fill that demand in the four Western Provinces.

ALTON, Hampshire, England (AP).—The War Office has offered to transfer Ready military prison, built by the Canadian Army in the war, to Alton council. The offer, designed to ease housing shortage, will be considered. The prison covers many acres.

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## Iran May Be Ensuring Prompt Western Action

### Interpreting the News

By J. M. ROBERTS JR. A.P. Foreign Affairs Analyst

Fear of a Russian invasion is being expressed in Iranian official circles.

They say the Russian propaganda campaign, accusing Iran of letting herself become a base for American activities, may be an attempt to establish an excuse for invoking an old treaty providing for Soviet military intervention if she is threatened through Iran.

The treaty was made after the Great War when Russia feared the Middle East land bridge might be used by the Western powers for another of the small invasions by which they tried, for a time, to block the Red revolution. The Iranian claim that it has been out dated by subsequent agreements and the United Nations charter. But they apparently fear that Russia might make just enough of a showing under the treaty to interfere with prompt Western action if a new occupation were attempted.

WESTERN PRESSURE Russian interests in Iran have been taking it on the chin ever since United Nations pressure forced her to live up to her wartime agreement to remove her troops after the fighting ended. The only Communist-controlled political party has been outlawed. Without the presence of Russian troops, a Communist-inspired secession movement in Northern Iran has faded.

Iran has tied herself closer and closer to the United States through acceptance of loans, military supplies, and advisory missions. She is starting an important economic development program with American aid. Ship loads of American munitions are arriving.

This undoubtedly makes Russia nervous. She is doing whatever she can to spread fear in Iran that the benefits of these American ties are not worth the danger. Widespread speculation as the future Soviet policies because of recent Governmental shakeups provides a neat background for this fear propaganda.

But any suggestion that Russia is about to take the risks involved in military occupation of a free country is open to serious doubt.

It has been two years since proclamation of the Truman doctrine against further Communist expansion. In that time Russia has made no overt move outside the sphere her troops occupied during the war. She made a drastic "consolidation" move in Czechoslovakia, tightened the reins on Finland and blockaded Berlin. But it is the shadow of the Red Army which she has been using, not the body.

In the meantime, the West has been growing stronger militarily and economically, and in determination to block further Russian expansion.

Trygve Lie, secretary-general of the United Nations, has chosen this time to issue a warning that if the present East-West conflict is continued indefinitely, it will lead to war.

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WASHINGTON, March 16 (AP).—The State Department announced today that 23 delegates from Russia and Soviet bloc countries will be permitted to attend a "world peace" conference in New York this month.

Five Hungarians who asked to attend were barred, however, in retaliation for Hungary's recent actions toward American diplomatic officials.

In announcing the decision, the State Department charged that none of the Soviet bloc delegates at the conference will be free to "express any view other than that dictated by the political authorities of Moscow."

The conference was called by the National Council of the Arts, Sciences and Professions. The department predicted in a statement that "Communists will attempt to use and manipulate" it.

Alsby Elected I.W.A. President

VANCOUVER, March 16 (AP).—Balloting for district officers in the International Woodworkers of America (I.W.A.) has confirmed Stewart Alsby, of New Westminster, as president, it was announced today.

Other officers elected were: First vice-president, Tom Bradley, of Vancouver; second vice-president, Joe Morris, of Ladysmith; third vice-president, Bob Walters, of Vancouver; secretary-treasurer, George Mitchell, of New Westminster; trustees: Jim McEwan, of North Vancouver; S. Squires, of Port Alberni; and Neil Shaw, of Haney.

But all the indications are that both sides are being very careful to keep it a "cold war" for now.

It could be that Iran is exaggerating her fears to make sure that, in the new attention being paid to

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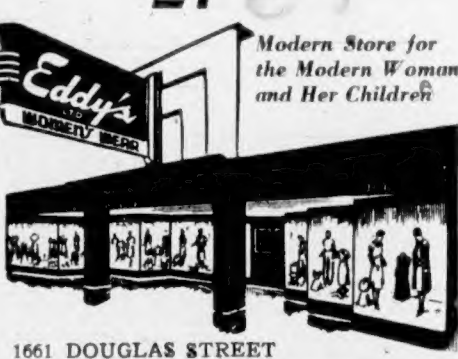
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## Repairs on Vessel Soon Completed



This week-end extensive repairs and renovation will be completed in 60-foot Diesel-driven vessel Songhe, now moored by Causeway in Inner Harbor. During Summer months she will go on number of cruises for members of Victoria Y.M.C.A.

## Consider Hospital Ship For Island Coast

Marine News

Health and Welfare Minister George S. Pearson informed the Legislature yesterday he is considering obtaining a hospital ship for the West Coast of Vancouver Island. At the same time he pointed out inauguration of such a service presented many difficulties.

There were several small hospitals on the coast, he said, but "anyone who knows the West Coast knows that on some occasions people 25 miles from a hospital might just as well be a million miles."

There were one or two church ships which gave some service, but they were not entirely suitable, he explained.

Herbert Ogilvie (C.C.F., MacKenzie) suggested persons in isolated communities should be given greater leeway in exemptions from payment of premiums in the hospital insurance scheme, but Mr. Pearson replied that he felt too many people were being exempted as it was.

### MAY FISH AGAIN

Government orders restricting the movements of Japanese in British Columbia will expire at the end of this month and as a result, Canadian citizens of Japanese origin will be able to apply for West Coast fishing licences, Fisheries Minister R. W. Mayhew said yesterday in Ottawa.

Mr. Mayhew said the Japanese were never denied the right of applying for a fishing licence, but they were prevented by a wartime order in council from settling in the British Columbia coastal area. That order was sufficient to prevent them from participating in the fishing industry.

The minister said that if the Japanese apply for fishing licences, he does not see how they could be denied simply because they were Canadian citizens of another color. But he doubted many would apply.

### TUG RESCUED

The stricken fishing tug Ferrolad was being towed into harbor yesterday after rescue tugs put men aboard to help its five-man crew man the pumps.

Radio reports said four tugs standing by had put three men aboard to help at the pumps. A towline was attached and the vessel was expected to reach Port

Burwell, 20 miles southeast of St. Thomas, Ontario, by nightfall. Captain Bill MacDonald and his crew were said to be in no danger.

A radioed SOS from the 30-ton Ferrolad was picked up by the tug's owners.

The tug Northdale from Port Burwell reached the Ferrolad two hours after the distress call went out by radio-telephone.

### EARLY OPENING

The lake freighter Perseus moved out of Buffalo Harbor yesterday, marking the earliest opening of the harbor's navigation season since March 12, 1925.

The Perseus had 7,000 tons of pig iron aboard and was headed for Detroit. It was planned to sail the ship at midnight, but lack of navigational aids in Lake Erie prompted the daybreak sailing.

### BOAT AGROUND

A small unidentified fishing craft was aground off the Cape Breton coast between Gabarus and Louisbourg with her crew unable to leave because of heavy seas.

News of the grounding was received over a shaky telephone connection and details were not known. An unidentified motorist drove 15 miles to Louisbourg to report the ground.

"The men are still aboard and calling for help. They can't get off," said one resident of Rouse Point near the spot where the craft grounded.

## Work of Polish Artist To Be Exhibited at "Y"

A collection of 35 water color and oil paintings, depicting Scottish architecture and history, will be shown in the Y.M.C.A. mural room between March 28 and April 1.

The paintings, the work of the late Jan Groszek, have never been exhibited before in North America. They were brought here by his widow, Mrs. Mary Groszek, 2314 Cook Street.

Typical of the paintings are those showing St. Mary's College, at St. Andrews; Bakehouse Close and Craigmillier Castle at Edinburgh; old houses and historical sites of Inverness, Perth, Aberdeen, Perthshire and other parts of Scotland.

The exhibition will be officially opened at 8 p.m. Monday, March 28, by J. V. Johnson, president of the Y.M.C.A. board of directors. It will be open daily between 2 and 5 p.m. and 7 and 10 p.m.

Mr. Groszek, born in Eastern Poland in 1908, studied at the Academy of Art at Cracow, Vienna and Rome. He went to Scotland with the Polish army in 1940, and was seriously wounded at Dunkirk the following year, and subsequently discharged. He remained in Scotland, where he died in 1947 from war injuries.

Between 1940 and 1947 he produced 107 paintings, all of which have been brought here.

Mrs. Groszek is a member of the Y.M.C.A. program council, which is sponsoring the exhibition.

## Phone Call From U.K. Surprise

Mrs. Langmuir Watt, 835 Foul Bay Road, got a scare Tuesday morning when the operator called and asked if she would be in at 1 p.m. to receive a phone call from England.

She sat down and worried for three hours about her son and daughter in the United Kingdom.

Exactly at 1 p.m., she was talking anxiously to her son in West Kensington, Kent, who said he had just called to pass the time of day, and thought it would be a good idea for him to come out to Canada.

Mrs. Watt said she thought it would be wonderful if it could be managed.

"Then I'll fly over one of these days and light on the front lawn," said her son.

Mrs. Watt's son paid \$15 for their three-minute chat.

### DUE FRIDAY

Ms. Ararat, Canadian-Australian Line passenger liner, is scheduled to reach Oyster Point docks about 8 a.m. Friday, R. J. Burland, district C.P.R. passenger agent, said yesterday.

It is the fourth postwar voyage of the vessel. She left the Antipodes March 1, with a full passenger list and a large cargo for this coast. From here she will proceed to Vancouver.

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For a casserole dish, cover with breadcrumbs and brown in the oven.



## Business Improves

NEW YORK, March 16.—Sales of the Borden Company and its subsidiaries totaled \$640,592,578 last year, an increase of 7.7 per cent over the \$602,959,406 shown in 1947. Inventories amounted to \$87,536,783.

Net income totaled \$19,179,447, compared with \$19,795,276 the previous year. Profit on the sales dollar was 2.98 cents, against 2.96 cents in 1947. Earnings were \$4.45 per share, compared with \$4.81 in 1947. Profit on the sales dollar in Canada was 2.77 cents. Capital expenditures of \$1,559,580 were approved for Canadian operations.

### ANIMAL MISNOMERS

The lion has been named king of beasts and the bald eagle king of birds, but the real king of the great cats is the tiger, and of the great birds, the golden eagle.

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  - 1 cup hard-boiled eggs
  - 1 cup parsley
- Add flour to melted butter; then tomato soup, pepper, onion and cook for five minutes. Add salt, season to taste and mix for five minutes. Arrange salmon and tomato mixture on platter, pour the remaining tomato mixture over the salmon and garnish with hard-boiled eggs, parsley etc. Cost per person, 12c. L.R.S.

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## Cigarette Sale Finances Tour Of Sea's Deep

AUCKLAND, N.Z., March 15 (CP).—The possibility that some gigantic species of fish as yet unknown to man lurk in the great ocean depths is among the questions which will be investigated by a Danish deep sea expedition which will tour the world between 1950 and 1952.

Dr. Anton Bruun, leader of the expedition, recently interviewed scientists from other countries during the Pacific Science Congress in New Zealand with a view to enlisting the assistance of leading experts in oceanography to take part in the expedition.

No one yet knew what types of marine life inhabited the oceans at depths of four miles and over. Dr. Bruun declared in an address in Auckland. Using 45,000 feet of wire rope, the Danish expedition would attempt to plumb all the great depths, including that east of Mindanao, in the Philippines.

where depths of more than 30,000 feet had been recorded. The expedition is being financed by novel means. Scientists supporting the plan have obtained from Danish friends in Britain and the United States gifts of 8,000,000 cigarettes and permission was obtained from the Danish Minister of Finance to sell them to raise funds. Cigarettes have been selling for as much as \$2 for 20 on the black market in Denmark, but the expedition's supporters sold their supplies at from \$1 to \$1.20.

The manufacture of artificial ice became widespread about 1900.

## Daily Astrology

By RITA DEL MAR

For Thursday, March 17, 1949

Today's Quotation: "Man's kind might be divided between the multitude who hate to be kept waiting because they get bored, and the happy few who rather like it because it gives them time for thought."—Ernest Dimmet.

Thursday for Everyone: Preserve the status quo as much as possible. Be guarded against a tendency to upsets, cross-purposes.

March 21 to April 19—(Aries)—

Take pains to hold to your course; smooth over the bumps; keep things on an amiable basis.

April 20 to May 20—(Taurus)—

Head off unexpected "fireworks" by keeping feelings under check. Hold on to funds.

May 21 to June 20—(Gemini)—

Safeguard your privileges, but don't be fractious or undisciplined. Take care not to go too far.

June 21 to July 22—(Cancer)—

Maintain a sharp lookout on funds, possessions, outgo. Be firm, thrifty.

July 23 to August 22—(Leo)—

Rein in your impulse to pursue a speedy

pace; steer away from hypathy which may jeopardize funds.

August 23 to September 22—(Virgo)—

Stand aloof from any hostility; perform your duties in an objective, tolerant fashion.

September 23 to October 22—(Libra)—

Keep your wits about you, particularly concerning the job and handling of funds, subordinates.

October 23 to November 21—(Scorpio)—

Be meticulous about monetary records, unexpected claims, or anxieties may arise.

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your spouse. Don't let others create upsets.

December 22 to January 19—(Capricorn)—

Keep your presence of mind in the face of possible gloom and stress. Let pals boost morale.

January 20 to February 18—(Aquarius)—

Be level-headed if others get "worked up" today. Guard against rapid, expensive action.

February 19 to March 20—(Pisces)—

Watch out for unexpected outbursts on the home front or elsewhere; rule out upheavals. Planning ahead—Good for social-

bility, entertaining, etc.: March 18; evening of 23; daytime of 24, 25 and 21.

(Consolidated News Features Inc.)

INHERITS HUGE ESTATE

GLASGOW, Scotland (CP).—William Lithgow, 14, has been left the entire £1,885,425 (\$7,581,700) estate of his bachelor uncle, Henry Lithgow, Clyde shipping magnate. But death duties, 75 per cent of the estate, have reduced it to £473,856. William receives the estate when he is 21.

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|--------------------|---------------------------------|-----|
| Tomato Juice       | Libby's, Fancy, 20-oz. tin      | 25c |
| Sauerkraut         | Libby's, Fancy, 20-oz. tin      | 19c |
| Vegetables         | Libby's, Mixed, 30-oz. tin      | 18c |
| Spaghetti          | Libby's, 15-oz. tin             | 27c |
| Baby Foods         | Libby's, Homogenized, 8-oz. tin | 22c |
| Catsup             | Libby's, 11-oz. bottle          | 23c |
| Spaghetti and Meat | Libby's, Prepared, 15-oz. tin   | 23c |
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| ★ Lemons     | July             | lb.    | 16c |
| ★ Celery     | California crisp | lb.    | 16c |
| ★ Cabbage    | New crop         | lb.    | 8c  |

|          |               |         |     |
|----------|---------------|---------|-----|
| Onions   | Shocking      | 2 lbs.  | 15c |
| Carrots  | Washed        | lb.     | 6c  |
| Potatoes | No. 3 Local   | 10 lbs. | 39c |
| Lettuce  | California    | lb.     | 15c |
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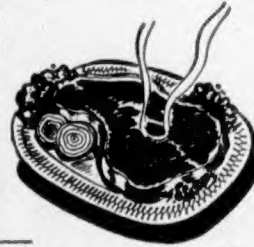
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| Short Ribs Beef | For braising               | 29c |
| Weiners         | Cello, casing              | 39c |
| Lag of Pork     |                            | 48c |
| Loins Pork      | Rib and Large End          | 58c |
| Ling Cod        | Fresh, piece               | 22c |
| Sole Fillets    | Cello, wrapped             | 35c |
| Salmon          | Cobon, fresh frozen, piece | 47c |

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|------------------------------|-----|-----|
| ★ Blade Rib Roast Beef       | lb. | 39c |
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| ★ Plate and Brisket Beef     | lb. | 25c |

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## Britain's Dollar-Market Hopes Viewed Skeptically by Papers

LONDON, March 16 (AP).—The Government's great expectations for the North American market drew skepticism from newspapers today.

In this year's economic survey, the Treasury said yesterday Britain still needs dollars and thus must sell more goods in Canada and the United States.

Some editorials said that will be hard to do. Newspapers took exception to the Government's view that prospects for increasing sales of manufacturers in North America are "very promising."

The Conservative Daily Graphic said, "It seems that the Government is reckoning too confidently that there will be no unfavorable change in world markets."

Lord Beaverbrook's Daily Express declared, "The sellers' market is now ending."

The Liberal News Chronicle, while generally favorable to the Government's plans, said, "Goods are becoming more difficult to sell abroad—all the more so because our costs and therefore our prices are still rising."

**STILL DOWN**

The Times of London noted that the proportion of British exports to the dollar area is still below pre-war years.

"Yet a chief reason for this is that the Government's encouragement of exports to soft currency countries has made the prices to be obtained in those countries more attractive," it said.

## Grain on Way To Elevators

MONTREAL, March 16 (AP).—Port officials said today that train loads of grain will start streaming into Montreal elevators during the week-end and by the time St. Lawrence River navigation opens in the middle of April, 1,000,000 bushels will be ready. The whole amount is earmarked for shipment to Britain.

An estimated 2,000,000 bushels of wheat are also flowing into Quebec City elevators. Officials said shipments are heavier to Quebec because freight rates to Quebec from Ontario grain elevators are lower than to Montreal.

### LIL ABNER

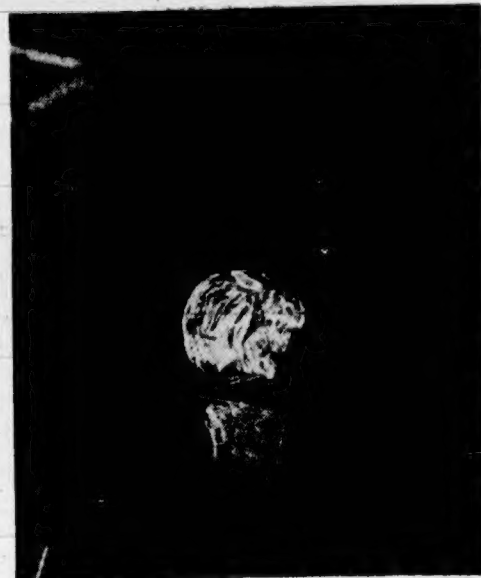


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## Not Funny for Bunny



This cottontail rabbit, caught in rising flood waters of Big Blue River at Beatrice, Nebraska, sits out like any other flood refugee on highest, driest spot he could find—fence post. Couple of human refugees, Buck Falstead and his son, Ray, rowing across flood area near their inundated home, found cold, wet bunny and rescued him.

## Most Nations Show Drop In Eating Cost

GENEVA, March 16 (AP).—The price of eating went down in 14 of 22 countries surveyed in January and February, the International Labor Office said today.

In Iceland, the American and British zones of Germany, Norway, the United Kingdom and Southern Rhodesia, January food prices were the same as in December. In three other countries—Peru, Portugal and South Africa—prices continued to climb in the new year.

Countries where food costs dropped were Canada, Belgium, Finland, France, Sweden, Switzerland, the United States, Hawaii, Puerto Rico, Panama, Mexico, British Honduras, India and Ceylon, I.L.O. said.

**FIRST BLASTERS**

The Germans were the first people to use gunpowder in warfare in 1388.

## 'Tis Foine Lad From Emerald Isle Who Can Identify Genuine Shamrock

DUBLIN, March 16 (AP).—When it's St. Patrick's Day in the morning, Irishmen all around the world sport Shamrocks in their buttonholes—but hardly a mother's son of them could tell you what a Shamrock truly is.

## Says Officials Won't See Tass Writers

MOSCOW, March 16 (AP).—Yakov M. Lomakin, acting chief of the Soviet press department, contended last night that the United States lives under censorship and that presidential press conferences are "the biggest propaganda in the world."

(Lomakin, then Soviet Consul-General in New York, was expelled from the United States last August 20. The State Department accused him of misinforming his own Government, attempting to mislead the American people, and having "abused" his official position in other ways. The charges resulted from the case of Mrs. Okana Kasenkina, Russian school teacher who had leaped from a window of the Soviet consular building in New York.)

Lomakin talked with foreign correspondents at the first diplomatic reception given by Foreign Minister Andrei Y. Vishinsky since he succeeded V. M. Molotov.

Lomakin said the United States has three forms of censorship: postal, and censorship imposed by business and the State Department.

He asserted the correspondents of Tass, the official Soviet news agency, never see American officials. He recalled that he once was a Tass reporter in the United States, and said that as such he never saw an American official.

Identifying the Irish national emblem has been a botanist's nightmare for years. And the problem is made no easier by the vigor with which Irishmen from different sections of the country swear that their own local three-leafed plant is the only true Shamrock.

Some years ago, a Dublin scientist sent a circular letter to every parish priest in Ireland, asking each to forward a sample of what, in his parish, was considered the genuine Shamrock.

**ODD COLLECTION**

Replies brought in a heterogeneous collection of plants which the Dubliner identified as yellow sucking, 52 per cent; wild white clover, 46 per cent; black medick, red clover, wood sorrel and various other plants, 2 per cent.

## Cyclist Killed In Vancouver

VANCOUVER, March 16 (AP).—A traffic accident claimed a new victim here today. It was the fourth traffic fatality in as many days.

William Newell, 34, died in hospital following a collision between the bicycle he was riding and a truck. His death was believed due to head injuries.

Newell is the city's 12th person fatally injured in motor accidents this year.

**OPTICAL WARNING**

Some authorities believe that nearly everybody in North America will be near-sighted a few centuries hence.

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Trinity to a group of Irish unblessed, seized a Shamrock growing at his feet to illustrate his sermon.

He pointed to the triple leaf—three miniature leaves growing from one leaf—and explained that in the same way the Father, the Son and the Holy Ghost were distinct entities and yet mystically indivisible.

## WISHES SHE'D KNOWN SOONER!



After all those years she just discovered she's been missing that wonderful "Flavay-Lift" of Lipton Tea. Don't wait to find out for yourself that it's truly a better tea. Deeper in color, richer in flavor, Lipton Tea is so full-bodied you can actually use less tea per cup. Remember Lipton Tea is Canada's only Bonded tea. Order some today.

## ACHE ALL OVER?

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## Barbara Brent's BUYS AND WHYS



MONTREAL, Mar. 17th—Birthdays... anniversaries... all red letter days are fit occasions for a little celebration. Right occasions, too, for a favourite cake, specially decorated to suit the day. But make sure it's the best cake ever, by using the finest ingredients! Ingredients such as EWANS DOWN CAKE FLOUR, the cake flour that's sifted over and over again until it's 27 times as fine as ordinary flour. Not party cakes alone—but all cakes—are better made with Swans Down!

**Here's A Free Offer** that's wonderful news for every woman who likes her good cooking to be the talk of the table! It's a free 16 page recipe book written for you by the makers of TEA-BLISK... and just wait 'til you see it! It's "chuck full" of scrumptious recipes for making the fluffiest, tastiest tea biscuits you've ever made... and chicken pie—pancakes—shortcakes—dumplings, too. I can't begin to "tell all" about this wonderful recipe book... you'll just have to write to me—Barbara Brent, 1411 Crescent St., Montreal, P.Q.—for your free copy... full of tips for happy, oh-so-easy baking!

**Hope This Catches Your Eye** before you go to that St. Patrick's Day Party! Because here's a beautiful treatment to make you look your very loveliest! Give your morale a BIG boost with a "Woodyard Facial Cocktail" before you go to the party! In fact, daily use of WOODBURY FACIAL SOAP is wonderful for tired complexion! Woodbury's lather is extra-mild—extra-rich and extra-creamy. It actually contains a skin-smoothing, complexion-soothing ingredient of fine face cream! All you do for "Belle-of-the-Ball" lather—Work up a creamy-rich Woodbury lather. Massage thoroughly over face to cleanse and soften. Follow with two rinses—a warm and a cold. Pat dry. It's like magic! Your complexion is wonderfully fresh and party-ready!

**Thousands Of Canadian Families** will be receiving cheques for their 1943 and 1944 Compulsory Savings during this month. A good idea is to start a special Savings Account with this money at the BANK OF MONTREAL—for it seems to me that money once saved is well worth hanging on to! You can use this B of M account for travel... or home furnishings... or for emergencies. And what a wonderful sense of security it has to have to worry about doctor's or hospital bills, for example! So if you or your husband are among the lucky ones receiving Compulsory Savings refunds this month... why not visit your nearest B of M branch? You'll find the B of M staff friendly and courteous—glad to help you start your special Savings Account.

**Here's Something I'll wager** you hadn't thought of in connection with Spring Housecleaning... and a very important "something" it is! I mean JERGENS LOTION, that marvelous hand lotion that will keep your hands smooth and soft no matter what your housecleaning chores! Jergens Lotion protects against chapping and roughness... and it's so jolly-quick to use! So why not "stock up" on Jergens before you begin to rub-o-scrub? Never let it be said that your house is bright and shiny... but you look worn to a frazzle! Keep your hands lovely, the lovely Jergens way!

**If You're Planning** an after-dinner St. Patrick's Day Party to-night... here's an ideal main-course dish that's so quick & easy to cook, you'll have lots of time for dinner, and to wash-up and prepare for the party, too! It's HEINE COOKED SPAGHETTI... m-m-m-m!—completely delicious and rich with Heine's famous, spicy Tomato Sauce. It will be a flavour favourite with your family any day—so don't just save it for "special" occasions! Another easy-to-prepare applause-winner is HEINE COOKED MACARONI—flavoured with smooth-as-satin, creamy sauces. Try both of these old favourites—soon!

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**What Do You Talk About** at a bridge party?—how hands sometimes like to ask. My answer would be—"Everything from cabbages to kings... or pea soup to politics!" A recent bridge party, for instance, taught me a thing or two about tea. Many of the women said they had recently switched to the new, improved TENDER LEAF TEA BALLS! They raved about this famous Orange Pekoe—its delicious flavour—the little tea leaves! Naturally, when I heard such enthusiastic compliments—I tried it, too! Now when I'm complimented on my tea-making—I must mention that I learned about the improved Tender Leaf Tea Balls at a bridge party!

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Hon. Hume P. Wrong (right), Canadian Ambassador to United States, reviews Guard of Honor at United States Military Academy at West Point, on occasion of his official visit over week-end. With him (from left) are: Laurence Steinhardt, United States Ambassador to Canada; Hon. Brooke Claxton, Canadian Minister of Defence; and Maj.-Gen. Bryant E. Moore, Superintendent of Academy.

## Lack of Facilities in Medical Plan Still Will Take Years to Overcome

LONDON, March 16 (AP)—Britishers refer to the start of their sweeping experiment in socialized medicine as "the appointed day."

That was July 5, 1948. What has happened since? How is the program working?

The anticipated rush of patients developed. Waiting rooms were crowded. Hospitals were even more pressed for beds. Demands for free glasses, free dentures, free hearing aids and even free wigs swamped

medical men—and the manufacturers. For the patient the golden day was at hand. The Ministry of Health underestimated the demand by millions of pounds.

Much of the scramble, a Health Ministry spokesman says, is a hang-over from the pre-July 5 days—a lack of facilities which still will take years to overcome and an accumulation of medical needs which many people couldn't afford before.

Since July 5 every man, woman and child had the right to ask a doctor for free treatment and free medicine—provided the doctor had contracted to work in the program. Anyone who insisted on private care had to pay for his medical services.

When a patient went to the doctor for the first time, he took a little white card from the Post Office. He was entered on the doctor's list as a public patient.

**CASE HISTORY**  
The card was sent to the local health executive council. One part of the card goes into the doctor's file for accounting purposes. The other portion goes into the patient's file and formed part of his "case history." In London, he became one of 3,049,000 registrars.

The Health Ministry says these lists are inflated at the moment. Many patients registered with more than one doctor. Many already en-

rolled under the old national health insurance scheme re-registered. The lists are being weeded out. Once registered, the patient just calls on the doctor whenever he feels he needs medical attention. As the scheme settles down and case histories build up in the files, each new application for special appliances, or, for example, spectacles will be carefully examined. If they are for replacements due to carelessness the patient will pay.

### CANNOT CONTINUE

Overseas payments on the present "gigantic scale" cannot continue, he said. "It will be the task of import control to restore figures within the limits of our normal earnings overseas."

The choice was between the progress of the country and "temporary pleasure and love of comfort," he declared. "The budget which I am going to present to you has been drafted in this spirit."

Apart from the statutory reserves of about £36,000,000 (\$144,000,000) in gold the Union possessed about £90,000,000 free reserve in gold.

Havenga was convinced the movement of foreign capital to South Africa would continue despite "temporary scarecrows."

During 1948 South Africa paid £476,000,000 overseas, made up of £350,000,000 for imported goods, £146,000,000 "invisible imports" and £80,000,000 repayment of loans to Britain.

The Union sold goods overseas for about \$134,000,000 and gold production for the year totaled \$100,000,000.

### DREW ON RESERVES

Net influx of capital was about £75,000,000 and for the rest the Reserve Bank drew on its reserves of gold and foreign exchange. Unless there were big price changes, the Union would still have about £250,000,000 to spend overseas this year.

## Teachers Said "In Dire Need"

VANCOUVER, March 16 (AP)—The British Columbia Teachers' Federation said last night 26 per cent of the 566 teachers on pension in the province are in "dire economic need" because of the high cost of living.

A report released by the consultative committee of the Federation said many retired teachers are drawing financial aid from the Federation's Emergency Welfare Fund.

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## R.C.A.F. States Plans For New Mercy Mission

EDMONTON, March 16 (AP)—The R.C.A.F. announced today its plan for the second phase in its mercy missions to aid an Eskimo Mission 400 miles inside the Arctic Circle.

An air force plane equipped with skis and wheels will leave Edmonton tomorrow for Port Rosa, about 1,740 air miles northeast of the Alberta capital.

Several mercy flights were made into the area last month after reports nine of the settlements 17 inhabitants had died from a mysterious disease. One of the survivors, a boy who had lost both feet from gangrene, was brought to Edmonton for hospital treatment.

Seven others, five women and two

children, were left at the settlement at Gravel Bay on Somerset Island and later two R.C.M.P. officers were taken there to study the situation.

At Edmonton, questioning of the boy by Federal Government doctors led to the speculation the nine Eskimos probably died from eating spoiled whale meat.

Dr. J. P. Harvey of the Dominion Government's Indian Hospital at Edmonton said he will be traveling with the mercy plan tomorrow. He indicated the remaining five women and two children are not ill now, saying if the R.C.M.P. suggest moving them from Gravel Bay, it will be for "economic reasons only."

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## Social and Personal

Mrs. J. E. Wilson, 811 St. Charles Street, is in Vancouver for a few days, guest of Mrs. G. N. Money.

Mrs. Frank Putnam, wife of the Minister of Agriculture, who has been ill with pneumonia, is now recovering at her Falkland Road home.

LT-Comdr. and Mrs. John Barclay are arriving in Vancouver today to be honored at an after five party to be given by Mr. and Mrs. Galt Martin.

Mrs. R. E. Webb, Poul Bay Road, has returned to her home after spending a week visiting her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Denis M. Collison, and her sister, Mrs. James Adam, in Vancouver.

Mrs. W. W. McGill, 1179 Tatterhall Drive, left for Seattle last night to attend the Pacific Northwest Family Relations Conference to be held on the campus of the University of Washington. Mrs. McGill will return to the city Sunday.

Mrs. Keith Collins and her five-week-old daughter, Bonnie Lou, arrived by plane from Lethbridge, Alta., during the week-end to visit Mrs. Collins' parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. McFarlane, 1012 Chambers Street, and her sister, Mrs. P. E. Mears, 2720 Heron Street. She expects to be here for several weeks.

Mrs. Stanley Jeanneret and Mrs. L. Wilkes will leave Victoria on Friday en route for New York from where they will sail aboard the Nieuw Amsterdam for Le Havre. They will spend some time on the Continent before going to England. They expect to return to Victoria in May.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Scott, who arrived in Eastern Canada from England last September, have been traveling through various parts of Canada with the United States visiting friends and relatives and are at present staying with Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Booth, 2678 Lincoln Road.

At the Doherty-Brundage wedding the following guests from out of town were present: Mr. and Mrs. C. W. K. Doherty, parents of the groom; Mr. Henry Hall, Miss Helen Jackson, all of West Vancouver; Mrs. R. Easterbrook, Mrs. V. Di-Castri, Mr. and Mrs. E. Sondrup, all of Vancouver.

An engagement of interest here and in the East is announced between Miss Margaret Elliott, second daughter of Prof. Spencer H. Elliott, of Winnipeg, formerly dean of Christ Church Cathedral in Victoria, and the late Mrs. Elliott, and Mr. Charles H. Ulich, elder son of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Ulich, of Windsor, Ont. The wedding will take place on April 2 at All Saints' Church, Windsor.

Among the out-of-town guests present at the wedding of Miss Shirley Noel to Mr. George Forbes last evening were Mr. Val Dalby, Mr. Bert Shottlitt, Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Macdonald and Miss Doris Macdonald, all of Courtenay; Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Dunsmore, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Bertram, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Scales, all of Nanaimo; Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Powell, Miss Ellen Powell, Mrs. A. Campbell, all of Duncan; Miss Lila Melby, Vancouver; and Mrs. Jessica Beers of Seattle.

## W.A. to Hold Wayside Sale

The Salt Spring Island branch of the W.A. met on Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. D. Fletcher, Walker's Hook, with Mrs. G. H. Holmes presiding and Archdeacon Holmes taking the devotional period.

Following the next meeting, at 1 p.m. April 7, in the Parish Room, Ganges, a wayside sale will be held under the general supervision of Mrs. Holmes. The tea convener will be Mrs. E. P. Beech, plants, flowers, etc., will be sold by Mrs. E. Adams and Mrs. H. A. Robinson, assisted by Mrs. H. Croft and Mrs. N. Howland and a home product stall will be in charge of Mrs. Harold Price, Mrs. F. Baker and Mrs. W. G. Taylor.

It was arranged to hold a shower on May 13 in the Parish Room, to provide materials for the annual summer sale.

The hostesses were Mrs. Fletcher and Miss Gertrude E. Lesney.

## Sidney United Women Planning Active Week

SIDNEY, March 16.—Women of Sidney United Church are holding two important social events this week. Thursday afternoon Miss Ross, Mrs. McKay and Mrs. Steward will hold a St. Patrick's tea at their home on the East Saanich Road just below the Saanich Experimental Farm, from 2:30 to 5.

Saturday morning commencing at 10:30 a.m. the South Beacon Circle of St. Paul's Women's Association is holding a home-cooking sale in the Sidney Cash and Carry. Mrs. J. Weston is in charge of arrangements.

## Mrs. Taylor Heads Diocesan Board of Woman's Auxiliary



Some of the officers of the British Columbia Diocesan Board of the Woman's Auxiliary to the Church of England in Canada are pictured while attending the 45th annual meeting which commenced on Monday morning at St. John's Church, Port Alberni. From left to right are: Mrs. E. H. Partridge, corresponding secretary; Mrs. E. O. Taylor, president-elect; Mrs. M. W. Mackenzie, past president; Mrs. K. L. Sandercock, first vice-president; Mrs. B. P. Harding, second vice-president; Mrs. B. P. Foster, third vice-president; and Mrs. E. G. Wilson, treasurer.

## Largest Offering of Diocese Reported at Annual Meeting

Mrs. J. Wilkinson, united thank-offering secretary, said that a total of \$1,410.84, the largest offering in the history of the diocese had been collected, when she reported at the 45th annual meeting of the British Columbia Diocesan Board of the Women's Auxiliary of the Church of England, which is being held in the Memorial Hall.

Miss Sue Kelsey, B.A., R.N., spoke of conditions in China, stating that nearly all missionaries have been evacuated, although Miss Greta Clarke is still in Shanghai working with the thousands of students there.

Miss Kelsey reported that the Church is carrying on although the missionaries have left. She said that at present the Communists are allowing the Christian schools and hospitals to continue and are now asking missionaries to return.

Reports were given by Mrs. E. J. Harris, Little Helpers secretary, who reported a membership of 1,786, an increase of 234. Contributions amounted to \$504.40, an increase of \$137.40.

Mrs. R. C. Kean, junior secretary, reported 22 branches in operation and that \$441 was raised during the year. Mrs. H. Ballantyne, extra cents secretary, reported receipts amounted to \$691.82. The Girls' Secretary, Mrs. F. Goodwin, reported the girls' auxiliary had raised \$216.78 and that parcels had been sent to adopted youth clubs in England.

**WELCOMES PRESIDENTS**  
The president welcomed three ladies from other organizations. Mrs. Fuller from the Victoria Presbyterial of the Missionary Society of the Presbyterian Church; Mrs. Ingram Smith from the Baptist Women's Missionary Society of British Columbia, and Mrs. Arthur Girvin of the Vancouver Island Presbyterial of the Missionary Society of the United Church, all of whom brought greetings from their fellow members.

Rev. G. L. Yuen gave an account of the work at the Good Hope Mission where progress is being made. He stated that many Chinese are coming back to British Columbia from China who would need the help of the Mission.

**REPORTS ON BURSARIES**  
Lady Lake reported on the Bursaries committee of the Anglican Theological College and stated that \$200 had been sent for a bursary at the college and \$50 to a student at an eastern college.

Rev. Kenneth Taylor, principal of the college, spoke about the college and its work, stressing the co-operation between the college and Union College. The sum of \$200 was voted to buy a power motor for use on the college lawns.

Mrs. Kenneth Taylor, western vice-president of the Dominion Board of the Women's Auxiliary, who has just returned from an executive meeting of the board in Hamilton, spoke on the advance movement of the W.A.

The magazine convener Mrs. F. E. L. Philip reported that large consignments of magazines and books had been sent to the John Anile and Columbia which leave the bundles of reading matter at isolated spots up and down the Coast.

Miss Lee's report on the Sunday School by post was read by Mrs. K. L. Sandercock, and the report of the Mothers' Union was given by

## Couple to Reside At Port Alberni

A wedding of interest took place at St. Anne's Anglican Church, French Creek on Friday evening when Irma Molis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. Molis of Craven, B.C., became the bride of Mr. Kenneth Johnstone, son of Mrs. H. Johnstone of Port Alberni.

Entering the church on the arm of her father the bride was charming in a floor-length gown of traditional white satin trimmed with insets of lace. Her full-length veil was held by a headpiece of silver sequins and she carried a bouquet of red roses and white hyacinths.

Attending the bride as matron of honor was her sister, Mrs. A. Hardie of Parksville who wore a white gown of shoulder-length veil, which was held by pink rosebuds.

To complete her ensemble she carried pink carnations and heather.

The groom's brother, Mr. F. Johnstone, of Port Alberni was best man and the ceremony was performed by the Rev. G. T. Pattison.

Following the ceremony a reception was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Harris, the bride's brother-in-law and sister. The toast to the bride was proposed by Mr. Harris. A three-tiered wedding cake, flanked by tall tapers in silver holders centred the bride's table.

For going away the bride wore a black gabardine suit with green accents. Following a honeymoon spent on the Island, Mr. and Mrs. Johnstone will reside in Port Alberni.

**FIRST FLIGHT AT 105**  
STOCKHOLM 49.—Probably the world's oldest airplane passenger is Mrs. Sigrid Rystedt, of Sundsvall, Sweden. She observed her 102nd birthday recently by taking her first flight which she thoroughly enjoyed.

**SUCCESSFUL RUMMAGE SALE**  
A successful rummage sale was held at the Hard of Hearing Hall on Wednesday morning by members of the W.A. Greater Victoria Youth Band. The entire proceeds will go for the upkeep of instruments and betterment of the band.

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## Shirley Noel, George Forbes Married at St. John's Church

At a pretty wedding solemnized Wednesday evening by Rev. George Biddle at St. John's Church, Shirley Heather, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Noel, 23 Linden Avenue, exchanged vows with George Forbes, elder son of Mr. and Mrs. George Forbes of Gresham, Scotland.

Plum blossoms pussy willow and daffodils formed an attractive setting for the ceremony, music for which was played by Mr. Frederick Chubb.

**WEARS MEDIEVAL GOWN**  
The pretty bride, given away by her father, was attired in a medieval gown of white slipper satin featuring a panel of Cluny lace down the centre front, the same lace forming an edging on the hip-panniers, on the net yoke and long pointed sleeves; tiny self-covered buttons fastened the back from neck to the dropped waistline. The graceful skirt, accented with pleated satin at the hem and hip-lines, swept into a long train. Her veil of illusion net with insets of lace in the corners, was arranged under a triple-scalloped coronet of net and lace, and billowed to the floor. A double strand of pearls with matching earrings, the gift of the groom, was her only jewelry. To complete her ensemble, the bride carried a crescent bouquet of gardenias and Talsman roses with cascade of white hyacinths, white heather and carnations.

Mrs. Val Dalby, sister of the bride, as matron of honor, was gowned in primrose yellow moire silk with fichu of the same material and wide peplum falling to a point in the back. Miss Adele Dunsmore, bridesmaid, wore a gown similarly styled in aqua moire tulle. Their coronels with triple scallops, shoulder veils and long mitres, matched their frocks, the headpieces being finished with a crescent hair-corsage of blooms to duplicate their bouquets. Mrs. Dalby carried a cascading arm bouquet of white carnations, yellow tulips, violets and white aspidistra-narcissi. Miss Dunsmore's costume was completed by a cascading arm-bouquet of aqua carnations, yellow tulips, violets and aspidistra-narcissi.

Mr. Noel Dalby attended the bridegroom, and ushers were Mr. David Huggins and Mr. Norman Edmonds.

During the signing of the register Miss Adele Dunsmore, cousin of the bride, sang "The Lord's Prayer."

**HOME RECEPTION**  
The reception was held at the bride's home where Mrs. Noel wearing a floor length gown of blue

**Engagements**  
Mr. and Mrs. E. K. De Beck, 2830 Somers Drive, announce the engagement of their younger daughter, Miss Anne, to Mr. Peter Staples Henderson, of 2387 Windsor Road, son of Mrs. Jas. Henderson and the late Mr. Jas. Henderson. The marriage to take place March 26, St. Mary's Church at 8 p.m.

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Mr. and Mrs. Forbes will return to Victoria to make their home.

## Pro Rec Classes Start at Fulford

With a membership of 43, the first of the Junior Pro Rec weekly classes started on Saturday in the Community Hall, Fulford, from 10 a.m. to 12 o'clock. Adult classes commenced on Monday from 8 p.m. to 10 with Mr. Dennis Singleton as instructor.

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## Mrs. M. Hammond Reports on Visit To Beta Sigma Phi International

Beta Chapter, Beta Sigma Phi was host to Xi Beta Xi and Omicron Chapters on Thursday evening at the Sons of Norway Hall to hear Mrs. Maude Hammond, Director of Beta Chapter, who gave an interesting account of her visit to International Headquarters in Kansas City.

Mrs. Hammond was invited by Mr. Walter W. Ross, founder of Beta Sigma Phi to visit headquarters because he felt she was the one to explain Beta Sigma Phi to the girls of the Northwest.

While in the East Mrs. Hammond was with a full jeweled pin and an orchid on corsage. She was entertained by the staff of International Headquarters and spent a week-end at the Ross' ranch home at Lee Summit.

En route home Mrs. Hammond visited many B. C. chapters and was

## New Canadians Contribute Much, Speaker States

At a meeting of the Victoria Business and Professional Women's Club held in their clubrooms, Spott Shaw Building, on Monday evening, Miss Isabel Bescoby, officer in charge of women's employment, Victoria branch, Dominion Unemployment Insurance Commission, told members that Canada has extended friendly hospitality to new Canadians who have come from Europe to make their home here.

As part of her moral obligation to the United Nations, Canada's policy is to absorb a limited number of D.P.'s and to provide a program of education as well as employment, Miss Bescoby stated.

Miss Bescoby said that the new Canadians come mainly from Russian-occupied countries and from all walks of life. Their ages vary from 18 to 40 years.

For the first year of their new life these new Canadians are pledged to work as domestics in private homes, schools and hospitals, in this way getting a first hand knowledge of the ways of life and the language of their adopted land. They quickly become part of the family and a feeling of trust and security is established early.

In return, the speaker concluded, these girls offer to Canada many valuable contributions in the field of arts and the sciences.

Miss Marjorie Press, president, introduced the speaker and was thanked by Miss Bernice Harvey. During the evening, Mrs. Madge Hall presented plans for the club's April project, "The Widening Circle," featuring exhibits and displays connected with the businesses and professions of club members, a fashion show, afternoon tea and evening bridge. The affair will be held in the large hall in the Spott Shaw Building, 1013 Douglas Street, on April 9.

## Parksville News

Mr. and Mrs. Eric Bernard of Bove visited Mr. Bernard's father, Mr. G. M. Bernard last week-end.

Mrs. Jane Vanderlip of Terrace, B.C., spending a holiday at Parksville. Her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. A. Vanderlip of Cassidy visited her last week-end.

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## Clubs and Societies

The Victoria West P.T.A. will under the auspices of Mrs. Pearl hold a rummage sale in the Hard Laycock and group, the subject of Hearing Hall, 1418 Douglas Street, chosen being "The Characteristics of Mary and Martha." April meeting will be held the second Tuesday in the month.

Royal Oak P.T.A. will meet Monday at 8 p.m. in the school. Former members are invited to attend to celebrate the sixth birthday of the association. Refreshments will be served.

The sisters of the Victoria West Home League will sponsor a St. Patrick's Day musical program today at 2 p.m. in the Salvation Army Hall, Catherine and Edward Streets. Refreshments will be served and the proceeds used for the newly-opened building fund.

Regular meeting of the Prospect Lake P.T.A. was held recently in the school. Miss Hunt gave the "Pageant of Fashion," which touched the highlights of women's fashions for the past 500 years. It was decided to buy an encyclopedia for the school. A meeting will be held early in April.

March meeting of the First Baptist Tuckerbauch Group was held recently at the home of Mrs. Lorna Abbott. The evening's program was

## Chemainus Club Welcomes Four New Members

Miss Betty Erickson presided at the May Temple March meeting when applications were received for four new members. Plans were completed for the Sidney rally on March 28. An invitation is also being extended to Maple Temple, Duncan, to attend the meeting on April 14, when the visit of the Grand Chief, Mrs. H. Lovell, is scheduled.

Fifteen new visits were made during the month. Members are assisting with the Red Cross quilts, and will also help with the blood donor canvas, under the various Red Cross zone captains.

## Women to Hear Air Vice-Marshal

Women's Progressive Conservative Association will meet today at the Y.W.C.A. lower clubroom at 2:30 p.m.

Air Vice-Marshal Leigh Stevenson, M.L.A. for Point Grey, will be guest speaker.

FASHION INNOVATION  
Salmon skins are now being made into women's shoes and handbags.

## Top o' the Morning



All topped out in green to do an Irish jig on St. Patrick's Day, March 17, the young lady above finds herself all tied up with that little porker she's trying to lead. Irish beauty colleen Joan Ryan heralds the dawn of St. Patrick's Day with a "Top o' the morning to you."

## Salt Spring W.I. Gives \$50 to Fund

The South Salt Spring Women's Institute met recently at the home of Mrs. J. White, Fulford, with 14 members present and the vice-president, Mrs. E. Kinder, in the chair. A new member, Mrs. D. Slingsby, was welcomed.

The sum of \$50 was voted towards the Fulford Community Hall Fund and \$5 to the B.C. Women's Institute Memorial Fund.

Donations of gifts were received for a parcel being made up for White and Mrs. Ronald Lee.

## Girl Guide Notes

Langford Girl Guides were recently visited by their former captain Mrs. J. D. Pearson, who is now district commissioner for T.M.L. Mrs. Pearson, who was

by the present captain, Mrs. D. V. Eveleigh, spoke of Brownie companies in Trail. She was here to attend the Provincial annual conference last week.

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The Mabel Burnett Circle held a successful silver tea in the Douglas Room recently, which was convened by Mrs. B. Smith, assisted by Mrs. Wood and Mrs. Hammond. Mrs. J. Greasy and Mrs. T. Pulthorp were in charge of the cooking stall and Mrs. F. Huelin was in receipt of customs. Proceeds of the tea were donated to the Shower of Dimes and Red Cross Drive.

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## Doctors Dislike Attitude Of Inspectors--Gillis

A flare-up over British Columbia's hospital insurance plan developed in the Legislature last night when Dr. J. J. Gillis (Cdn. Yae) said he didn't like being pushed around by hospital inspectors employed by the insurance service.

"If you have them interfering and dictating what we are to do then you're headed for trouble," he told Health and Welfare Minister George E. Pearson during discussion of salary estimates for the inspectors.

### AMAZED

Mr. Pearson said he was amazed at the attitude taken by Dr. Gillis. "We don't propose to interfere," he replied, "but our money is a trust and we have to see that it is well spent."

This hospital insurance would benefit hospitals whose costs were out of line but would not try to run them, he said.

Dr. Gillis said doctors had had a

little experience with the inspectors already, and if it continued the inspectors would be brought under Mr. Pearson's control. Dr. Gillis must belong to one of the hospitals that wasn't co-operating with the Government and warned.

"If there is no co-operation with the hospitals there is going to be trouble. We're not going to waste that money."

## Water District Employees In Pension Plan

Employees of the Greater Victoria Water District were brought under municipal superannuation by a bill amending the Municipal Superannuation Act, introduced in the Legislature last night by Municipal Affairs Minister R. C. MacDonald.

Another amendment freed municipal employers from bringing under the pension scheme employees hired after January 1 this year, who cannot complete ten years of service before reaching retirement age. It allows only municipalities adopting the act after the amendment passed.

A bill amending the Greater Victoria Water District Act brings the water board under the same jurisdiction of the Public Utilities Commission. The board is also empowered to appoint and dismiss commissioners and an acting treasurer.

An amendment to the Electric Energy Inspection Act transfers the jurisdiction of the act from the Workmen's Compensation Board to the Minister of Public Works.

## Latest Rules For Trappers Pay Dividends

SEVEN FALLS, Ont., March 16 (CP)—Six days a week, Clarence Marshall puts his pack on his back and tramps 15 miles to inspect his trappings.

He finds the money off. The Ontario lands and forests department this year adopted his trapping area as a model trap line.

The Northern Ontario trapping area was split up last year with each section placed in a different trapper. Mr. Marshall's area has 26 lakes divided through its 18 square miles and he is concentrating on building up its beaver population.

He is the only one allowed to trap there. And he can't trap anywhere else.

"There is a future in trapping now," he says "for we can build up stock in our own zone, knowing we are working for our own benefit."

He has trapped for 15 years near this town near the eastern shore of Georgian Bay. He lives with his wife and six-year-old daughter in an abandoned railway station.

Mrs. Marshall works nearly as hard at trapping as her husband. She accompanies him on the trap line in the Spring and Fall, spending the winter fleshing, skinning and stretching the hides.

Mr. Marshall has nearly 200 snares and 400 traps.

Right now, he's after fox, wolf and bear. He believes these animals deplete the stocks of smaller fur-bearing animals. He doesn't intend to trap any beaver for three or four years and is feeding them and helping repair their dams in the meantime.

## Woman Given \$1,200 Damages

BIRMINGHAM, England, March 16 (Reuters).—A 41-year-old woman, whose hair was said to have "stood up on end like bristles" after a permanent wave, today was awarded \$300 (\$1,200) damages against a Birmingham hairdresser.

The woman's sister told the judge, Mr. Commissioner Roberts, that her sister's hair "was unnatural, in the shape of a wig."

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## Federal Purchasing Agency Places Many Big Orders

OTTAWA, March 16 (CP).—The Canadian Commercial Corporation, Government purchasing agency, made public today brief references to more than \$4,300,000 in orders it placed last month, including roughly \$542,000 worth of signals and radio equipment for the R.C.A.F.

Embarking on a new policy, it made available to the press a list of orders, each valued at more than \$50,000, and exclusive of secret defence matters. An official said total orders in the month ran to possibly \$12,000,000.

The list emphasized R.C.A.F. efforts to strengthen its signal services as a paramount part of an air defence plan for the country.

The list included \$900,000 worth of new Summer uniforms for the services, mostly army.

## Official Arrives in City To Probe Currency Case

Undercover investigations into currency smuggling ring swung into high gear yesterday with the arrival of a new official in the city. The official, Mr. J. B. Graham, is the new head of the Exchange Control Board, Vancouver.

Royal Canadian Mounted Police followed his arrest. RCMP what may be another international officers swooped down on the Wing Wood Company, 515 Commercial Street, and the Don E. Butcher Shop, 538 Fisgard Street, Monday seeking evidence to link the arrest with other illegal currency transactions.

## Ladysmith W.A. Holds Tea Today

LADYSMITH, March 16. Women's Auxiliary of the Canadian Legion, Branch 121 will hold a St. Patrick's tea this afternoon in the Legion Hall. The committee in charge includes Mrs. J. P. and Mr. J. P. and Mrs. J. P. and Mr. J. P.

A donation of \$5 will be sent to the St. John Ambulance appeal fund. At the March meeting new member initiated was Mrs. Peggy Joyce Jones. Resignation of secretary Mrs. Alice James was accepted with regret. Mrs. Rae Allen was appointed to fill the position for term for two months. Mrs. Annie Reid was appointed correspondent for the Legion papers.

## Head Injured In Car Crash

Ronald Cooke, 674 Monterey Avenue, was treated at St. Joseph's Hospital last night following an accident at the intersection of Cook Street and Fairfield Road.

He suffered a cut on his head when his car was involved in a collision with car driven by Henning D. Hansen, 435 Springfield Road. Hansen's wife and four children, who were in his car, escaped unhurt.

Police estimate damage to the two cars at \$275.

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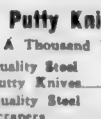
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## Sir Stafford Cripps' April Budget "As Likely to Be Slap as Caress"

LONDON, March 16 (CP).—If anyone but Sir Stafford Cripps was Chancellor of the Exchequer, budget forecasts would be as bright as the flowers of Spring.

But his April message to the tax-

payers is as likely to be a slap as a caress, although the election is only 15 months away.

The Chancellor expects to end the present year March 31 with a surplus on hand. His revenues have been so buoyant that he probably will stay in the black despite expenditures of £22,000,000, \$88,000,000 higher than anticipated when his 1948-49 budget was prepared.

### ELECTION WORRY

With an election at hand, and persistent grumbling over high taxes, this should point to easier times in 1949-50. Labor back-benchers, concerned about their re-election prospects, want concessions to advertise the Government's concern with the welfare of ordinary folk. But they feel no more cheerful about

Sir Stafford's methods than do the non-political bystanders.

The Labor men would like a reduction in the purchase tax now ranging from 33 1/3 to 100 per cent of the wholesale price on less essential consumer goods including much electrical equipment, numerous textiles, drugs, pottery not used for food, and cutlery.

Then they would like something done about the revenues of Sir Stafford, a persistent smoker himself, appears content to leave cigarettes at 3s 6d (70 cents) for 30 times in 1948-50. Labor back-benchers, concerned about their re-election prospects, want concessions to advertise the Government's concern with the welfare of ordinary folk. But they feel no more cheerful about

## Better English

By D. C. WILLIAMS

1. What is wrong with this sentence? "His wife is more friendly than him."

2. What is the correct pronunciation of "digest" (noun and verb)?

3. Which one of these words is misspelled? Celery, salary, gallery.

4. What does the word "inquacious" mean?

5. What is a word beginning with "sp" that means "an appetizing, a ghost"?

### ANSWERS

1. Say, "more friendly than he."

2. Noun, pronounce the l as in dir and accent first syllable. Verb pronounce the l as in did and accent second syllable. 3. Salary. 4. Given to talking; garrulous. "The man was inquisitive and very threatening."

5. Specter.

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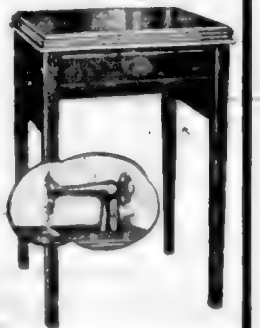
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## Clerk Serving as Interpreter, Soviet Agent in Arctic Norway

KIRKENES, Norway, March 16 (AP).—The big shot of Arctic Norway is a 315-a-month clerk who loves Communism more than his country's freedom.

You might mistake Gofred Hoelvoed for the most popular man in Kirkenes until you hear the whisper: The Russians could be here in a quarter-hour. We don't want trouble.

Norwegian military intelligence lists Hoelvoed as the most dangerous Soviet agent in the Far North, but the army itself must use him as interpreter when it talks to Russians on the frontier four miles from here.

**POLICE SALUTE**  
Police salute him with almost terrified respect. Nobody dares arrest a Communist in this uneasy border region.

Hoelvoed leads a bloc of eight Reds in the 28-man town council of Kirkenes, edits the only newspaper in the community, gives the party brings throughout the 18,000 square miles of Finnmark Province, and regularly denounces Norway's Labor Government as "imperialist, Quisling."

Forty-five and bespectacled with rumpled dark hair and melancholy face, he looks more like a village philosopher than a dedicated revolutionary. His ideological training in Moscow from 1929 to 1931, and again from 1940 to 1945, has given him a pat answer to everything.

He insists the Russians are justified in keeping their new postwar frontier with Norway tightly sealed.

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## Moscow's Drive Apparently Renewed Against Premier Tito of Yugoslavia

TRIESTE, March 16 (AP).—Despite the apparent drive against the "renegade" Yugoslav leader is reported to have internal, as well as external, aspects.

Reports, filtering out from behind Tito's private "little iron curtain" via travelers, foreign embassies and other sources tell of domestic difficulties in Yugoslavia. These reports, none of them confirmed, have popped up in several places.

The conservative newspaper Ultimissimo here said yesterday Tito soon will meet "some Western world personalities in view of the internal situation of Yugoslavia."

### SITUATION DELICATE

The Italian news agency Astra said the international situation in Tito's domain is "particularly delicate in Macedonia, where Bulgarian and Macedonian Communists faithful to the Cominform (Communist Information Bureau) continue to push an active propaganda campaign against the Belgrade Government."

Ultimissimo also said pro-Cominform propaganda "is spreading successfully" in Yugoslavia.

Diplomatic and intelligence sources in Istanbul said yesterday

"something may be about to pop" in Yugoslavia. One source who refused to be identified said he believed the overthrow of the Tito regime is imminent.

### CRITICISM LOUD

Criticism from Moscow-line Communists outside Yugoslavia has been loud since the Yugoslav Reds split with the Kremlin and Cominform.

They accused Tito of straying from the Marxist-Leninist line as expounded by Stalin and pursuing a policy "hateful" to the Soviet Union.

The latest blast came from Vice-Premier Matyas Rakosi of Hungary who said Tito and his followers "betrayed the cause of peace and joined the imperialists."

Tito has hit back at the Cominform many times. He also has charged the Cominform countries with cutting down trade with Yugoslavia in order to hinder her economic development.

The Yugoslav leader was believed to have purged his Communist party of all those upon whom he could not rely last year.

Moscow, while anxious to get rid of Tito and bring Yugoslavia back among her satellites, does not appear willing to risk driving him into the camp of the West.

Birds cannot see blues or violets very well, but they see reds better than do human beings.

## Canada Self-Sufficient in Oil By 1958, Executive Believes

OTTAWA, March 16 (CP).—If current production progress is maintained, a prominent oil executive said today, there is no need to predict that Canada would be self-sufficient in oil by 1958.

That will entail construction of a network of pipe lines across the country, J. R. White of Toronto told a Canadian Club audience.

The vice-president of Imperial Oil Ltd. said the first of these pipe lines would be a 400-mile line from Edmonton to Regina.

It would be completed by 1950 at an initial cost of \$100,000,000 to build it would require 1,000,000 tons of steel, which alone would cost \$13,000,000.

As planned, the Edmonton-Regina line will start with two main pumping stations, to permit pumping between 80,000 and 60,000 barrels of oil a day from the various producing companies in the Edmonton area.

If developments warrant, six more pump stations would be installed later, to enable the line to carry between 100,000 to 120,000 barrels daily.

### TO OFFSET NEEDS

Mr. White noted that Trade Minister Howe was arranging to import 40,000 tons of steel from England to offset the steel for the Edmonton-Regina pipe line which will come from Canadian mills.

"I think that is something of a milestone here is a case where the mother country is supplying basic steel, while our own mills are turning out the specialized product needed for the pipe line."

There were needs for other pipe lines, that could reach into the Vancouver consumer market and further east than Regina. Alberta oil development required consuming outlets.

Transportation, by means of rail, was putting the brake on production because of prohibitive costs. "If Alberta crude were to be shipped to these markets under present conditions, it would have to bear very high shipping charges and there would be very little left for the producer."

### ONLY FIRST STEP

"For this reason," said Mr. White, "while we are at the moment talking about the line to Regina as a first step, the situation really calls for the freedom to build lines wherever they are needed."

Working out the estimates of shipping crude oil by the all-rail route from Alberta, Mr. White said the rate from Edmonton to Regina, Ont., would be about \$3 a barrel. "On arrival that barrel would sell for just a little over \$3 today—leaving about a nickel for the producer of Edmonton. The rail charge from Edmonton to Vancouver would be about \$1.35 a barrel."

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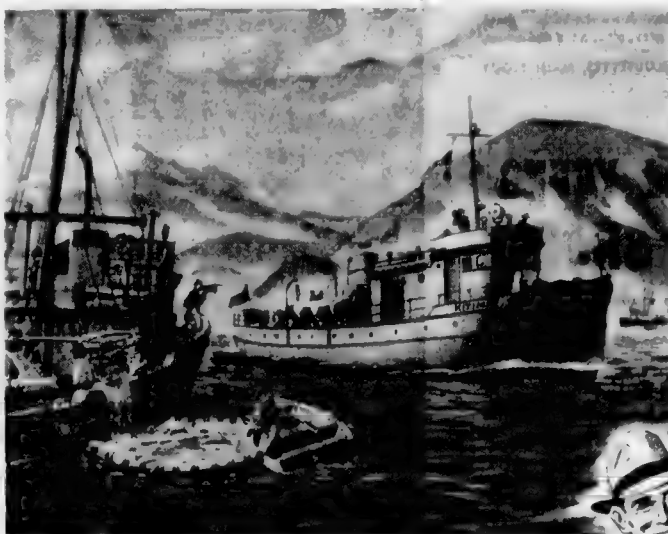
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## Scientist Says Origin of Man Near Solution

CAPE TOWN, March 16 (CP)—Dr. Robert Broom, South African anthropologist and palaeontologist, believes this year will be the most important in the history of the world in solving the riddle of the ancestry of man.

"How man evolved is almost a question of religion," he said recently. "The world wants immediate results, and we must get them because so much depends on it."

Dr. Broom, who is to lecture in the United States and Britain, said that he and a party of American scientists made a number of important discoveries at Swartkrans, in the Transvaal, four months ago, including the lower jaw and the

larger part of the upper jaw of a "missing link." Sections of another prehistoric man's jaw were also found there late in February.

"The skull is the largest yet obtained," he added. "We have still to find a brain case, but from the size of the lower jaw, I think that the brain may have been up to the lower human standard."

The cave at Swartkrans in which Dr. Broom and the Americans have been working is older than any previously discovered, and the specimens obtained are unique.

"Unfortunately, I am not allowed to take any of the specimens to the United States," he said. "In the meantime, I am only allowed to take casts. The Historical Monuments Commission wishes to look over all the finds, and then they will say what may go. Evidently, they want all types of specimens to remain in South Africa, and we will only be able to send a few duplicates and a good deal of rubbish to America. I think the policy of the Historical Monuments Commission is rather foolish and short-sighted. I will discuss the matter with the Americans and possibly they may succeed in getting wiser counsels to prevail."

Dr. Broom says there are thousands of caves extending in age from 2,000,000 B.C. to comparatively recent times. In the formation of dolomite that runs round the Transvaal and down to near Pretoria, in Cape Province, and it is almost certain that when all the cave deposits have been worked out, the world will have the complete history of the evolution of man.

"We in South Africa, single-handed, are quite incapable of working all our deposits in 1,000 years," he went on. "America is only too willing to help us with money—apparently unlimited money to get the

results for which the world is impatiently waiting."

The members of the "missing link" race, according to Dr. Broom, were comparative giants who walked erect, and used their delicate "hands" for the manipulation of weapons and tools. Their teeth were of typically human structure, but rather longer than those of man. The brain was relatively small, sometimes not larger than the brain of a gorilla.

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| MARCH |       | Date |       | Time of sunrise and sunset (P.M.T. standard time at Victoria, B.C.) for the month of March, 1949. |      |
|-------|-------|------|-------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------|
| Day   | Month | Day  | Month | Time                                                                                              | Time |
| 1     | Mar   | 1    | Mar   | 6:54                                                                                              | 6:34 |
| 2     | Mar   | 2    | Mar   | 6:53                                                                                              | 6:33 |
| 3     | Mar   | 3    | Mar   | 6:52                                                                                              | 6:32 |
| 4     | Mar   | 4    | Mar   | 6:51                                                                                              | 6:31 |
| 5     | Mar   | 5    | Mar   | 6:50                                                                                              | 6:30 |
| 6     | Mar   | 6    | Mar   | 6:49                                                                                              | 6:29 |
| 7     | Mar   | 7    | Mar   | 6:48                                                                                              | 6:28 |
| 8     | Mar   | 8    | Mar   | 6:47                                                                                              | 6:27 |
| 9     | Mar   | 9    | Mar   | 6:46                                                                                              | 6:26 |
| 10    | Mar   | 10   | Mar   | 6:45                                                                                              | 6:25 |
| 11    | Mar   | 11   | Mar   | 6:44                                                                                              | 6:24 |
| 12    | Mar   | 12   | Mar   | 6:43                                                                                              | 6:23 |
| 13    | Mar   | 13   | Mar   | 6:42                                                                                              | 6:22 |
| 14    | Mar   | 14   | Mar   | 6:41                                                                                              | 6:21 |
| 15    | Mar   | 15   | Mar   | 6:40                                                                                              | 6:20 |
| 16    | Mar   | 16   | Mar   | 6:39                                                                                              | 6:19 |
| 17    | Mar   | 17   | Mar   | 6:38                                                                                              | 6:18 |
| 18    | Mar   | 18   | Mar   | 6:37                                                                                              | 6:17 |
| 19    | Mar   | 19   | Mar   | 6:36                                                                                              | 6:16 |
| 20    | Mar   | 20   | Mar   | 6:35                                                                                              | 6:15 |
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| 22    | Mar   | 22   | Mar   | 6:33                                                                                              | 6:13 |
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| 25    | Mar   | 25   | Mar   | 6:30                                                                                              | 6:10 |
| 26    | Mar   | 26   | Mar   | 6:29                                                                                              | 6:09 |
| 27    | Mar   | 27   | Mar   | 6:28                                                                                              | 6:08 |
| 28    | Mar   | 28   | Mar   | 6:27                                                                                              | 6:07 |
| 29    | Mar   | 29   | Mar   | 6:26                                                                                              | 6:06 |
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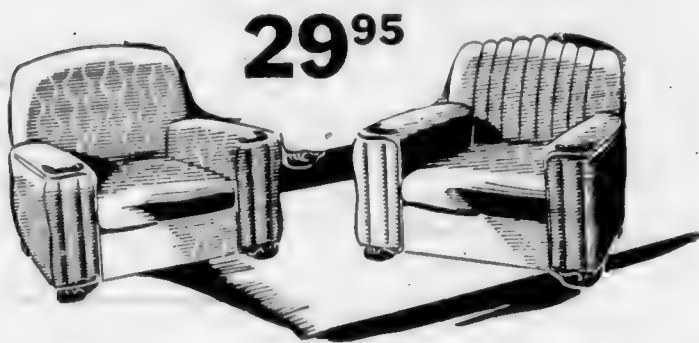
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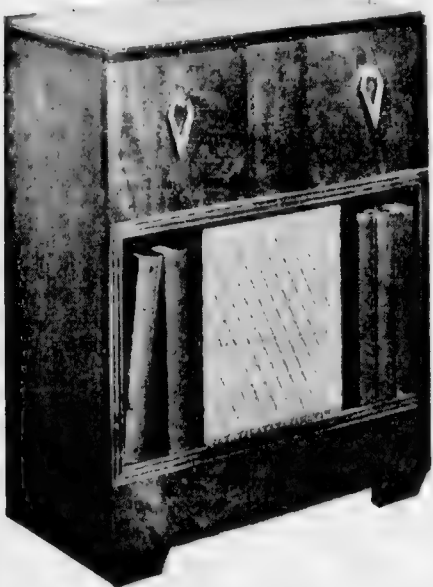
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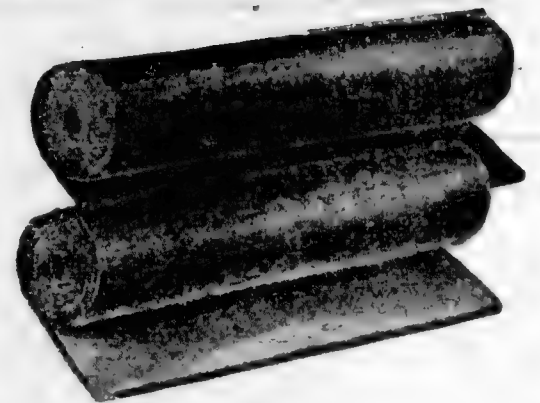
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| MALKIN'S RED LABEL TEA 1-lb. pbl.             | 78¢       | PITTED DATES Loton, 1-lb. pbl.             | 29¢        |
| DUZ Pbl.                                      | 23¢       | SOS SCOURING PADS 2 pbl.                   | 25¢        |
| PEAS Royal City 50-oz. tin                    | 18¢       | STRAWBERRY JAM Aymer, 24-oz. jar           | 59¢        |
| CORN Whole Kernel, Aymer, Choice Quality, tin | 21¢       | SEVILLE ORANGE MARMALADE Aymer, 24-oz. jar | 31¢        |
| CUT GREEN BEANS Lunchour, 20-oz. tin          | 27¢       | BEEFSTEAK AND ONIONS Burns, tin            | 49¢        |
| MUSHROOMS Money & tin                         | 26¢       | PREM Tin                                   | 44¢        |
| TOMATOES Royal City, 50-oz. tin               | 24¢       | LONG MACARONI Catalina, 16-oz. pbl.        | 14¢        |
| TOMATO JUICE Aymer, 20-oz. tin                | 27¢       | SPAGHETTI Van Camp's, 15-oz. tin           | 24¢        |
| GRAPEFRUIT JUICE Crest, 20-oz. tin            | 25¢       | TOMATO KETCHUP Heinz, bottle               | 26¢        |
| APPLE JUICE Sun-Way, 20-oz. tin               | 23¢       | TOILET SOAP Palmolive, regular size cakes  | 2 for 19¢  |
| APRICOTS Australia, 50-oz. tin                | 32¢       | TOMATO AND VEGETABLE SOUP Libby's          | 2 tin 17¢  |
| GREENGAGES Aymer, 50-oz. tin                  | 16¢       | LIMA BEANS In Tomato Sauce, Aymer, tin     | 18¢        |
| ROYAL ANNE CHERRIES Summerland, 20-oz. tin    | 35¢       | TOILET TISSUE White Swan                   | 2 roll 19¢ |
| QUAKER OATS Non-premium, 48-oz. pbl.          | 27¢       | GLASS WAX Wizard, pint tin                 | 49¢        |
| GRAPE-NUTS FLAKES 12-oz. pbl.                 | 17¢       | OLD DUTCH CLEANSER Tin                     | 11¢        |
| TEA BISCUIT MIX Mrs. Fleming's                | 28¢       | PEA SOUP Maltland, tin                     | 16¢        |
| SOCKEYE SALMON Cloverleaf, 16-lb. tin         | 42¢       |                                            |            |
| LEMON JUICE Exchange                          | 2 tin 15¢ |                                            |            |

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| 4½-Pound PINEAPPLE FRUIT SLABS,<br>each | 1.25                         |
| GOLD SLABS, 65¢<br>each                 | COOKIES 2 doz. 25¢           |
| FEATHER<br>CAKES, each 30¢              | VANILLA<br>SLICES, dozen 60¢ |

### Fruits and Vegetables

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| No. 1 GREAT SCOTT POTATOES, excellent cookers, 50-lb. sack | 1.85           |
| JUST ARRIVED! ROSY RED, CRISP O.K. WINESAP APPLES          | 2 doz. 49¢     |
| FLORIDA GRAPEFRUIT, 126's                                  | 7 for 33¢      |
| FLORIDA ORANGES, 216's, 'dozen                             | 40¢ 2 doz. 78¢ |

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|                                               |     |                        |     |                      |     |
|-----------------------------------------------|-----|------------------------|-----|----------------------|-----|
| CHEESE, colored, medium, lb.                  | 48¢ | BOLOGNA, sliced, ½ lb. | 18¢ | WIENERS, tender, lb. | 39¢ |
| HAMS Smoked Tenderized                        |     | Shank, half, per lb.   | 52¢ | Butt, half, per lb.  | 57¢ |
| SLICED BACON, Side, ½ lb.                     | 35¢ | SILVERLEAF LARD, 1 lb. | 22¢ | CHEESE, Swiss, 1 lb. | 29¢ |
| KOSHER SAUSAGE, Blue Label, Salami style, lb. |     |                        |     |                      | 79¢ |

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| MEATS—AS CUT IN CASE               |     |                                     |     |                       |     |
| ROLLED BONELESS ROASTS BEEF        |     |                                     |     |                       |     |
| Inside Rib, per lb.                | 59¢ | Outside Rib, per lb.                | 52¢ | Eye of Round, per lb. | 50¢ |
| VEAL STEAK, Shoulder, lb.          | 45¢ | NECK BONES PORK, lb.                | 10¢ | ROUND STEAK, lb.      | 58¢ |
| MUTTON! MUTTON! MUTTON!            |     |                                     |     |                       |     |
| Shoulders whole or Shank half, lb. | 24¢ | Rib Chops, per lb.                  | 35¢ | Legs, whole, per lb.  | 42¢ |
| ROASTING CHICKEN, "B", lb.         | 49¢ | BOILING FOWL, 3 or 3½ lbs. "B", lb. | 35¢ | SPARE RIBS, lb.       | 45¢ |
| PORK CHOPS, end cuts, lb.          | 58¢ | LEGS PORK, shank half, lb.          | 45¢ | PORK STEAKS, lb.      | 53¢ |

|                         |     |                             |     |                               |     |
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| SERVICE MEATS DELIVERED |     |                             |     |                               |     |
| PRIME RIBS BEEF         |     |                             |     |                               |     |
| Boneless Rolled, lb.    | 63¢ | Standing Rib, cut short lb. | 57¢ | T-BONE ROASTS, cut short, lb. | 65¢ |
| MINCED ROUND STEAK, lb. | 59¢ | LITTLE PIG SAUSAGE, lb.     | 45¢ |                               |     |

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## Believe It or Not! by Smiley



## Racing Results, Entries

### Fair Grounds At Gulfstream

| FIRST RACE  |       | SECOND RACE |       | THIRD RACE |       | FOURTH RACE |       | FIFTH RACE |       | SIXTH RACE |       | SEVENTH RACE |       | EIGHTH RACE |       | NINTH RACE |       | OVERNIGHT ENTRIES |       |
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**HEATH SATISFIED**  
BRADENTON, Fla., March 16 (P).—Jeff Heath, slugging outfielder of the Boston Braves, ended his hold-out and agreed to contract terms today.

**OAK BAY PRACTICE**  
Oak Bay Intermediate soccer club will practice at Windsor Park tonight commencing at 8. All players are asked to attend.

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## Love Captures Coast Hockey Scoring Crown

Bobby Love of New Westminster Royals won the Northern Division scoring title in the Pacific Coast Hockey League with a total of 101 points, eight more than Bill Carse of Vancouver.

Love also captured the league championship, finishing 15 points ahead of Oakland's Tom Fowler, Southern Division leader.

The champion's total was comprised of 38 goals and 63 assists. Pat Desbiens of Portland led goal-getters with 50 and Carse topped playmakers with 64.

Northern Division leaders follow:

|                             |    |    |   |
|-----------------------------|----|----|---|
| James Portland              | 16 | 26 | 4 |
| Wheeler Vancouver           | 16 | 25 | 4 |
| Hays Seattle                | 13 | 36 | 1 |
| Kerry Seattle N Westminster | 9  | 29 | 1 |
| Kalispac Seattle            | 17 | 36 | 3 |
| Wilson Vancouver            | 18 | 18 | 3 |
| Trole Tacoma                | 14 | 30 | 3 |
| Davis Portland              | 21 | 13 | 3 |
| Andrews Tacoma              | 10 | 14 | 1 |
| Tomson Seattle              | 12 | 30 | 3 |
| Vaenti, New West -Seattle   | 9  | 23 |   |

By THORNTON W. BURROWS

FARMER BROWN'S BOY ARRIVES

The light crept farther under the door of Farmer Brown's henhouse and by this time the hens were all awake. Furthermore, they had discovered Jimmy Skunk down below and were making a great fuss. They were cackling so that Uncle Billy was sure that Farmer Brown's Boy would soon hear them and hurry to find out what it was all about.

"If you would just get out of sight, Farmer Skunk, ah, reckons those fool hens would keep quiet," Uncle Billy ventured.

"I don't mind their noise. It doesn't trouble me a bit," replied Jimmy Skunk, and grinned. It was plain enough to Uncle Billy that Jimmy was enjoying the situation.

But Uncle Billy wasn't. He was so anxious that he couldn't keep still. He paced back and forth along the shelf in front of the upper row of nests and tried to make up his mind whether it would be better to go down and face Jimmy Skunk or to try to hide under the hay in one of those nests, and all the time he kept listening and listening and listening for the footsteps of Farmer Brown's Boy.

At last he heard them and he knew by the sound that Farmer Brown's Boy was coming in a hurry. He had heard the noise of the hens and was coming to find out what it was all about. Uncle Billy hoped that now Jimmy Skunk would re-



"Be it you, you black and white rascal," he exclaimed.

He treated through the hole in the door and give him a chance to escape. "He's coming," Farmer Brown's Boy called. "Brer Skunk! You better get away while you can," whispered Uncle Billy.

"I heard him," replied Jimmy Skunk. "I'm waiting for him to open the door for me to go out. It will be much easier than squeezing through that hole."

Uncle Billy gasped. He knew, of course, that it was Jimmy Skunk's boast that he feared no one, but was hard to believe that Jimmy really intended to face Farmer Brown's Boy right in his own henhouse where Jimmy had no business to be. He hoped that at last Jimmy's boldness would get him into trouble. Yes, he did. You see that might give him a chance to slip away himself. Other-wise he would be in a bad fix.

The latch on the door rattled. Uncle Billy crept into one of the nests, but frightened as he was he couldn't keep from peeping over the edge to see what would happen. The door swung open letting in a flood of light. The hens stopped their noise. Farmer Brown's Boy stood in the doorway and looked in. Jimmy Skunk lifted his big plume of a tail just a bit higher than usual and calmly and without the least sign of being in a hurry walked straight toward the open door. Of course

"Be it you, you black and white rascal," he exclaimed. "I suppose you expect me to step out of your way, and I suppose I will do just what you say. You are the most impudent and independent fellow of my acquaintance. That's what you are. You didn't get any eggs because I gathered all of them last night. And you didn't get a chicken because they were wise enough to stay on their roosts, so I don't know as I have any quarrel with you, and I'm sure I don't want any. Come along out of there, you rascal."

Farmer Brown's Boy stepped aside and Jimmy Skunk calmly and without the least sign of hurry or worry walked out, stopped for a drink at the pan of water in the henyard, walked through the henyard gate and turned toward the stone wall along the edge of the Old Orchard.

Next Story: The next egg gives Uncle Billy away.

(Continued by The Associated Newspapers)

Chicago Grain

CHICAGO, March 16 (AP)—An increase in selling pressure late in the session sent all grains lower on the Board of Trade. Until the sudden expansion in selling in the last 30 minutes, the market had drifted along without important price changes.

|        | Wheat    | Barley   | Oats     | Rye      | Flour    |
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| Mar 14 | 1.14 1/2 | 1.14 1/2 | 1.14 1/2 | 1.14 1/2 | 1.14 1/2 |
| Mar 13 | 1.14 1/2 | 1.14 1/2 | 1.14 1/2 | 1.14 1/2 | 1.14 1/2 |
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MONTREAL, March 16 (AP)—Dominion, provincial and municipal elections were unchanged in dull trading on the bond market.

For Saturday

PORT ALBERT, March 16.—A special basketball excursion train will run from here to Victoria on Saturday to take 200 fans to cheer the Alberni Athletics at the Island Senior "A" championship game. A victory would give the team the right to play Vancouver Cloverleafs in the second round of the British Columbia championships. Athletics having won the first two matches here.

The whole east side of the Victoria High School gymnasium has been reserved for the contingent from the Alberni Valley. The train will leave here at 9:30 a.m., and depart from Victoria at 1:30 a.m. Sunday.

ORCHESTRA ON TRAIN There will be an orchestra on the train, and a coffee bar to make the trip enjoyable. As well as the Athletics, there will be two other teams from Alberni Valley. The A.A.A. Vagabonds will meet the Victoria Eaglets in the second of two-game series. This is an Island final, and the local girls are ten points up.

The A.A.A. Junior girls will play the second game in a series against Arrow Furniture, Victoria, for the Island championship.

CELEBRATES BIRTHDAY

The members of St. Mary's Guild entertained at the home of Mrs. R. Price, on Sunday afternoon, in honor of Mrs. E. Baileman who was celebrating her 85th birthday. Following the presentation of a bouquet of spring flowers and a book of devotion, tea was served.

LONDON (AP)—Three United Kingdom air lines in co-operation with 14 international air lines have prepared a standard tariff for round the world flights. It covers more than 1,000 alternative routes reaching 165 cities in 40 different countries.

ROYAL Theatre

Tyrone Power and Anne Baxter, two of the screen's top-dramatic stars, enjoy an exciting change of space in their current co-starring roles in "The Luck of the Irish," Twentieth Century-Fox's high spirited comedy-romance.

CAPITOL Kathryn Grayson is not at all allergic to being teased by Frank Sinatra in M-G-M's action-filled new Technicolor musical hit, "The Kissing Bandit," the story of a Robin Hood who'd rather be in a law than an outlaw. It's crammed with songs and laughs.

ODEON Kirk Douglas, co-star of United Artists' "My Dear Secretary," shows shock, distress and mental anguish to co-star Keenan Wynn and Alan Mowbray in a scene from this riotous comedy also co-starring Laraine Day and Helen Walker.

ATLAS Gene Kelly, as the dashing D'Artagnan, makes love to Lana Turner, playing the beautiful Lady de Winter in "The Three Musketeers," film-

NAME OFFICERS Mr. Grant, Mr. Lafferty, Jack Wind-Alberni, March 16—Officers elected at the annual meeting of the Alberni Athletic Association were: George MacRae, Walter Craddock, James Forrest, president; Arthur Bowerman, vice-president; Elmer K. Ashby and Edward Cox, directors.

RARE LUXURY There are only 35 chinchilla coats in the world, each is worth from \$100 to \$200.

THE YEAR'S BIGGEST LAUGH ENDS TODAY

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Tyrone POWER  
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with GENE KELLY  
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**ROYAL**

TURNER as wicked Lady De Winter

**The Three Musketeers**  
TECHNICOLOR

LANA TURNER - GENE KELLY - VAN HOFFEN

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The Daily Cross-Word Puzzle

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According to Culbertson

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There are deals in which the declarer's best chance is to mark time and hope that the opponents will make a mistake. Today's deal, however, did not fit into that category.

West, dealer.  
North-South vulnerable.  
NORTH  
A 4 3 2  
K 6 5 3  
Q 5 3  
K 7 4 3  
EAST  
Q J 8 6  
A 9 4  
7 2  
K J 10 8  
SOUTH  
7  
K Q 10  
A K Q 10 8 4  
A 9

The bidding:  
West North East South  
Pass Pass Pass Pass  
Pass Pass Pass Pass  
South's holding was at once too good and not quite good enough for his choice of opening bids. Even with all of his winners, he could not be sure of taking 11 tricks at a minor-suit contract; and he might be shutting out an easy three no trump, or, if North had a heart suit, a four-heart contract. Indeed, there was the chance that by preempting so high, a possible slam might be missed.

All this, however, is theoretical, and the fact is that South's choice should have worked out well in the actual deal. If he had started with one diamond (he wasn't quite strong enough for two diamonds), he might have played to there.

West opened the spade queen. Dummy's ace was put up, and after

LAST TIMES TODAY  
"WALLS OF JERICHO"  
With Kirk Douglas - Anne Baxter  
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"SOUTHERN YANKEE"  
Red Clifton, Jr.  
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# Finance-Commerce-Markets

## New York Stocks

NEW YORK, March 16 (AP)—Mild selling whittled away at stock prices. At the final bell, losses ranged from fractions to a point or more. The Associated Press average of 80 stocks declined 1 1/2 of 1 point to 632.02. The 100 individual issues which appeared on the ticker tape, 464 fell back, while 236 advanced.

**DOW JONES AVERAGES**  
Thirty Industrials, 1753.37, off .49.  
Twenty rails, 48.17, off .29.  
Fifteen utilities, 35.04, off .01.  
Sixty-five stocks, 62.19, off .16.  
Total index, 678,990.

| Stock                   | Price  |
|-------------------------|--------|
| Alcoa                   | 17 1/2 |
| American Steel          | 16 1/2 |
| Armstrong               | 15 1/2 |
| Bank of Montreal        | 14 1/2 |
| Canadian Pacific        | 13 1/2 |
| Consolidated Edison     | 12 1/2 |
| General Motors          | 11 1/2 |
| International Harvester | 10 1/2 |
| Johnson & Johnson       | 9 1/2  |
| McGraw-Hill             | 8 1/2  |
| Procter & Gamble        | 7 1/2  |
| Radio Corporation       | 6 1/2  |
| Standard Oil            | 5 1/2  |
| Union Pacific           | 4 1/2  |
| Wells Fargo             | 3 1/2  |
| Western Union           | 2 1/2  |
| Yale                    | 1 1/2  |

## Vancouver Stocks

VANCOUVER, March 16 (CP)—The general trend was unchanged at the close on the Vancouver Exchange. In oil, Royalite at 6.10, Okla at 1.06, and Hargal at .37 were unchanged, while Central was the exception, dropping .03 to 1.06.

(Hagar Investments, Ltd.)

| Stock                   | Price  |
|-------------------------|--------|
| Alcan                   | 17 1/2 |
| Bank of Montreal        | 14 1/2 |
| Canadian Pacific        | 13 1/2 |
| Consolidated Edison     | 12 1/2 |
| General Motors          | 11 1/2 |
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## Closing Averages

(James Richardson & Sons, Ltd.)

**TORONTO**  
Twenty Industrials, 170.74, off .46.  
Twenty golds, 63.23, off 1.34.  
Ten base metals, 69.06, off 1.96.  
Fifteen western oils, 47.06, off 1.06.  
Total sales, 718,000.

## Toronto Stocks

TORONTO, March 16 (CP)—Base metals dropped for the second successive session on the Toronto Stock Exchange, selling at the lowest levels in 11 months. The decline started Tuesday with a price slash in lead by a United States producer that followed a reduction last Tuesday.

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| Alcan                   | 17 1/2 |
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## Head Sales Branch

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## Stocks and Bonds

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NOTICE is hereby given that an application will be made to the Parliament of Canada at the present or next following session thereof for a Private Bill incorporating a company under the name of Interprovincial Pipe Line Company, subject to the provisions of any general legislation respecting pipe lines which may be enacted by the Parliament of Canada, for the purpose of constructing and operating pipe lines interprovincially and/or internationally within or outside Canada for the transportation of crude oil or any liquid product or by-product thereof. The applicants will request that the company shall have all the powers, privileges and immunities conferred by any general legislation affecting such pipe lines which may be enacted by the Parliament of Canada and further will request that such powers and corporate provisions as may be deemed necessary for the carrying out of the objects of the company.

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## Preferred Stocks

| Stock                   | Price  |
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| Alcan                   | 17 1/2 |
| Bank of Montreal        | 14 1/2 |
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## Egg Market

| Grade            | Price |
|------------------|-------|
| Grade "A" large  | 40    |
| Grade "A" medium | 38    |
| Grade "A" small  | 36    |
| Grade "B" large  | 34    |
| Grade "B" medium | 32    |
| Grade "B" small  | 30    |



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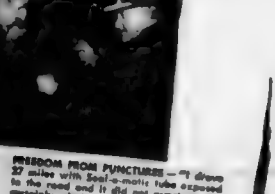


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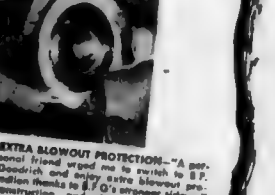
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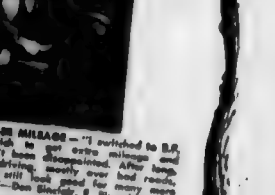
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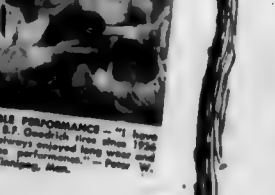
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WINNIPEG, March 16 (CP)—Fair action was stimulated in deferred months of coarse grain futures on the Winnipeg Grain Exchange, following Tuesday's Government announcement on floor prices for these grains.

| Grain  | Price |
|--------|-------|
| Wheat  | 1.10  |
| Barley | 1.05  |
| Oats   | 1.00  |
| Rye    | 1.05  |
| Flour  | 1.10  |
| Feed   | 1.05  |

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Evenings, 2433

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New 3-room modern bungalow with full basement, living room, dining room, large kitchen, 2 bedrooms and 2 1/2 bathrooms, all in a new porch. Call Mr. Smith at 2433. This is a real home at a low price.

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FAIRFIELD

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Attractive five-room bungalow with full basement, living room, dining room, large kitchen, 2 bedrooms and 2 1/2 bathrooms, all in a new porch. Call Mr. Smith at 2433. This is a real home at a low price.

Price \$6500

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Five-room stucco bungalow with full basement, living room, dining room, large kitchen, 2 bedrooms and 2 1/2 bathrooms, all in a new porch. Call Mr. Smith at 2433. This is a real home at a low price.

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MOUNT TOLMIE

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Price \$9450

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WEST SAANICH ROAD

30 acres, 100 ft. wide and the road in front. Good size lot, full basement, living room, dining room, large kitchen, 2 bedrooms and 2 1/2 bathrooms, all in a new porch. Call Mr. Smith at 2433. This is a real home at a low price.

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So let's spring in the air! 3 acres, more or less, with a 2-room cottage. Must be sold in order to make a sale. This is the price, for near offer.

Price \$4750

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A grand location on large waterfront lot with a 2-room cottage. Must be sold in order to make a sale. This is the price, for near offer.

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There are 3 suites in this well-constructed building, with 1100 sq. ft. each. All complete with full bathroom, living room, dining room, large kitchen, 2 bedrooms and 2 1/2 bathrooms, all in a new porch. Call Mr. Smith at 2433. This is a real home at a low price.

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SOUTH OF OAK BAY

AVENUE

Neat 4-room bungalow situated on a nice lot, with a 2-room cottage. Must be sold in order to make a sale. This is the price, for near offer.

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OAK BAY—SOUTH

Well-constructed stucco bungalow consisting of extra large living room, full basement, living room, dining room, large kitchen, 2 bedrooms and 2 1/2 bathrooms, all in a new porch. Call Mr. Smith at 2433. This is a real home at a low price.

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FAIRFIELD

New—Vacant

Five-room bungalow located on quiet street, with full basement, living room, dining room, large kitchen, 2 bedrooms and 2 1/2 bathrooms, all in a new porch. Call Mr. Smith at 2433. This is a real home at a low price.



## Navy, Air Force Pilots Trained



Picture above shows part of training given in aero-engine mechanics to R.C.A.F. trainees at Flying Training School, Centralia, Ontario. Pledging pilots receive practical demonstration of working of engine in station maintenance section. Although this school is primarily for Air Force pilots, Royal Canadian Navy airmen also attend. Shown above, left to right: Lieut. A. E. Fox, R.C.N., Duncan, F. O. Miller, Winnipeg (instructor), P.O. E. L. Arnold, Hope, and P.O. D. D. Hoffman, Vancouver.

## Music Students Present B.C. May Aid Varied Evening Recital Gordon Martin With Appeal

Students members of the Junior and Intermediate branches of the Victoria Musical Art Society, who presented a varied evening recital at the Empress Hotel last night.

Several of the senior pianists presented considerable promise. Miss Margaret Macdonald, who played Chopin's No. 1 in F sharp minor, was a talented young musician with charming stage manners.

A girls vocal ensemble was one of the most pleasing groups of the evening. It sang a round "Turn Again" accompanied by piano.

More advanced students were heard in the second part of the evening. Two young vocalists, Betty Townsend and Catherine Dixon, presented solos. Their voices were not big enough for the hall, and

## B.C. to Spend \$600,000 In Cancer Work

Nearly \$600,000 will be spent in the next year on an extended program for cancer control, Health and Welfare Minister George S. Pearson announced yesterday.

Half the money will be provided by Dominion grants, the other half by the province. Last year the Dominion spent only \$50,000 for cancer control.

Outlining the full scope of Federal grants in aid of health in British Columbia, Mr. Pearson said the province would receive \$1,000,000 for hospital construction, \$24,574 for crippled children, \$24,574 for professional training, \$24,574 for venereal disease control, \$22,740 for tuberculosis control, \$100,000 for public health research, \$5,000 for health surveys, \$200,000 for cancer control, and \$20,700 for arthritis.

## Heart's Danger Signals

By Dr. J. B. Warren

Nature gives signals or warnings of a weak heart, high blood pressure, and heart strokes that will enable us to live for many years if these signs are carefully regarded. There is a slight pain in the chest under the breast bone under effort, excitement, a large meal or even when resting. Later, the pain becomes more intense, viscer-like, and may extend to the left shoulder and arm. Breathlessness, getting out of breath on slight exertion is another danger signal of a failing heart.

## BRIGHTER RAILWAYS

LONDON (AP). — Locomotives and coaches on Britain's railways are to be given new liveries. Main line coaches are to be crimson with cream panels while local passenger coaches will be crimson throughout.

## INDIA BUILDS SHIPS

VIZAGAPATAM, India (AP). — The third India-built ship, Kutubari, was launched here recently. A small passenger and cargo vessel. It is intended for coastal traffic and can carry 646 passengers and 280 tons of cargo.

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## To See More Of Children, Court Rules

A British Columbia school teacher won his Supreme Court application to see more of the two daughters of his estranged marriage yesterday, but the privilege will cost him an extra \$10 a month toward their support.

Through his lawyer, P. J. Sinnott, he asked Mr. Justice A. D. Macfarlane's permission to let him keep the children at his parent's home overnight on the week-ends he was permitted to see them.

## Tenders for Roofing

Sealed tenders will be received by the undersigned up until noon on Wednesday, March 21st, 1949, for roofing the City Police Station, 635 Pender Street, in accordance with specifications obtainable at the City Building Department City Hall.

## Envelope containing tender must be marked "Tender for Roofing City Police Station" and must be accompanied by a certified check for \$1000 or cash in amount of \$1000 payable to the City of Vancouver. The lowest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

C. P. SHARPE, City Building Dept., City Hall, Vancouver, B.C., March 18th, 1949.

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## Council Rejects New Move For Secession

Majority of the Saanich Council Tuesday night again turned a cold shoulder to Ward Six's secession movement.

The ward's Ratepayers' Association asked council by letter to advise Municipal Affairs Minister R. C. MacDonald that there is no clause in the Saanich Relief Act requiring council approval of secession.

In the absence of Councilor William C. Kersey, Councilor Leslie H. Passmore made a motion along these lines, stressing that an expression of opinion from the council is not required.

Earlier Mr. MacDonald asked for opinion of the council on the issue. Only support for the motion was given by Ward One - Councilor William E. Bond.

## PROPOSE HOME

Major C. J. Milley, of the Salvation Army, told the council that his organization hopes to obtain land in the district for establishment of an old persons' home.

Renée E. C. Warren told the majority that the council will remember the Salvation Army when considering its estimates.

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## Miners in B.C. "Fleeced" Guthrie Says

Vancouver Island coal mines abandoned by Canadian Collieries should be taken over by the Government, Sam Guthrie, C.C.F. Cowichan-Metchosin candidate, said yesterday.

Repeating his demands of previous years, Mr. Guthrie said the company was "fleecing" the miners who were trying to make a living by working the mines. They are taking royalties of \$1.75 a ton for coal, while the company only paid ten cents a ton.

Miner Minister R. C. MacDonald recalled that he had discussed the matter with the company but pointed out the mines were private property and the company had spent hundreds of thousands in developing them.

There was nothing the Government could do unless it confiscated the company's property.

Herbert Gargrave, C.C.F. Mackenzie, said projects of this type should revert to the Crown if it was abandoned.

## Meters Back In Fairbanks

FAIRBANKS, Alaska, March 16 (AP). — It won't be long until the gas meters are back in the city after being removed for the winter.

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The minister also stated it was the intention of the Government that further surveys be carried out to make this highway a continuous route without ferries.

The delegation was headed by E. R. McFarlane.

## Councillor Would Forbid Horse Training at Willows

Opposition to allow horse training at the Willows was voiced last night by Councilor George Murdoch at an Oak Bay council meeting.

"I think we would be sticking our necks out if we allowed training of horses there," he declared.

Dr. E. E. Darbyshire, 908 Dellwood Avenue, president of the British Columbia Division of the Horsemen's Benevolent and Protective Association, asked by letter for permission to use the track for training purposes until May 15.

He said his committee has made arrangements with S. W. Randall, who is in the process of removing buildings from the land, regarding stabling accommodation, and will be responsible for maintaining proper conditions on the grounds.

## Council Drops Proposal

Proposal of Councilor George Murdoch to investigate unimproved chimney repair men was dropped by Oak Bay Council last night.

Council decided that enough publicity has been given the matter. Councilor Murdoch favored amending the trades license by-law to give the council power to suspend or refuse licenses.

Refuse Robert A. Wootton urged the council to go very slowly, pointing out that no proof of unimproved practices has been given.

We are not a court. The public has the remedy in its own hands, declared the referee.

## FRAMINGHAM HOME

Oak Bay's share in the cost of operation of the Inter-Municipal Juvenile Home, 1527 Harbor Road, will be \$850 10 per cent of the total cost.

The Willows Paint-Teacher Association has informed the council it would object to use of the shift system at the Willows school because it would be detrimental to the education and health of the children.

Council has been informed that R. A. Gordon has been elected president of the Oak Bay Municipal Employees' Association. R. E. McLung is vice-president, I. M. Ferguson secretary and S. Bell treasurer.

FRAMINGHAM, Man., March 16 (AP). — The Framingham National Bank is making it easier for their left-handed depositors to spend money.

An official of the bank said left-handed cheque books now are available to the southpaw customers.

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## Need Base School Costs On Population, Is Claim

Apportioning of school costs on a basis of school population instead of assessment value was urged by Councilor F. A. Gibbs, chairman of the Oak Bay Council Finance Committee at a meeting last night.

Councilor Gibbs disagreed with Education Minister W. T. Strath's statement that the Provincial Government contributes 60 per cent of school costs.

"The Government is not contributing in a ratio recommended in the Cameron Report," he declared. He submitted figures showing that the ratio of Government contribution this year is only 25 1/2 per cent in School District No. 61.

## Ready to Deal On Rate Case

Oak Bay is preparing to discuss the city's ruling on increased water costs for the municipality.

At a unanimous motion last night the council instructed its solicitors to prepare to deal with Oak Bay's case before the Public Utilities Commission.

City Council Tuesday approved a rate of 91 cents per 1000 gallons of water as set by the city water commissioner G. M. Irwin. The figure represents an increase of 1.6 cents. The boost is to cover the cost of piping water through the city to Oak Bay. It was estimated that Oak Bay's water board when it was formed and under another agreement purchases its water from the city.

Measures to protect Oak Bay school children from traffic were approved by the council last night. Specialized lead-up pavement markings for school zones, proper crosswalks and pre-warning pavement markings were all approved.

The police commission passed its recommendations after a survey by Sgt. J. G. M. Locke, head of the British Columbia Police Traffic Commission.

Council also approved of prohibiting parking on sides of any street which abut school property and installation of warning school signs measuring 28 1/2 inches across the base.

## Permits Issued For Bunkers Here

Permit to build sand and gravel bunkers at a cost of \$35,000 was issued Evans, Coleman & Johnson Brothers Ltd., 900 Wharf Street, by the city building inspector this week.

Shell Oil Company, Ltd. was issued a permit to erect a \$12,000 service station and garage at 1828 Oak Bay Avenue. The new building will be of frame construction and stucco finish.

The building inspector also issued permits for the construction of two new houses this week, one valued at \$7,500, the other at \$5,300.

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# Vancouver Island News

From Colonial Correspondents



OLD ENGINE No. 901 MAKES LAST TRIP TO ALBERNI VALLEY

Top photograph shows Esquimalt & Nanaimo Railway passenger train engine No. 901 making her last trip to station at Port Alberni last week. Engine was towed away by Diesel locomotive, one of type which replaced steam on railway. Andrew Buglass was engineer and Alfred J. Wraga was fireman on last trip. Lower view is of River Bend Bridge over Soanass River near city of Alberni, which will be replaced by Provincial Department of Public Works with modern structure.

## Cowichan Area Debates Request Funds School Taxation Issues From Councils

**To Aid Valley**

PORT ALBERNI, March 16.—The cities of Port Alberni and Alberni have tabled a request by the Junior Chamber of Commerce for donations to cover the cost of a folder advertising Alberni Valley as a tourist attraction.

At Port Alberni, Mayor L. E. Jordan objected on the grounds that too many organizations called upon the city for donations, and the yearly total was large. With education costs so high, cities were hard pressed to meet their budgets, the mayor said.

Port Alberni was asked by the Junior Chamber for \$300, and Alberni for \$200.

Aldermen agreed that the effort of the group was a worthy one, but some were of the opinion that the sums asked were too high.

## Endorse Plans For Operation Of Port Field

ALBERNI, March 16.—The Alberni City Council endorsed a resolution calling upon the Federal Government to acquire and maintain the local airport. The resolution had already been endorsed by the Port Alberni City Council.

The resolution was drafted by representatives of the two councils and Port Alberni Airways, Ltd.

The resolution points out the rapid industrial expansion of this area which is isolated by mountain ranges with only one connecting highway, that the Government is anxious to promote the pilot training plan, and here is the second school of its kind on Vancouver Island.

Col. A. G. B. Lewis reported on a discussion concerning education matters with Hon. W. T. Straith. A motion of appreciation was passed to Mr. Bonner for arranging the interview.

## Weather Forecasts

East Coast of Vancouver Island—Overcast with intermittent rain early this morning. Cloudy with scattered showers in afternoon. Winds light, except southeast 20 miles per hour in coastal area early today. Little change in temperature.

West Coast of Vancouver Island—Overcast with intermittent rain this morning and widely scattered showers in afternoon. Wind southeast 20 miles per hour. Little change in temperature.

Ald. R. E. Cairns has been re-elected City Council representative on the Duncan Recreation Council.

Ald. J. LeQuenne is still undergoing treatment in the Veterans' Hospital for leg wounds received during the Great War. The City Council sent him a message of good cheer and wishes for a speedy recovery.

At the request of Mayor Wraga, the City Council will make a tour of city streets on Sunday morning in an endeavor to settle details of a public works program.

## Offer Support

NANAIMO, March 16.—The Nanaimo Liberal Association received official word that Hon. George S. Pearson would visit the city in the next few weeks. The local association pledged full support to the Minister.

The association passed votes of appreciation to Hon. R. W. Mayhew and William Poupore of Sidney for their efforts during the past two years to get a Federal building for Nanaimo. Mr. Poupore who spoke at the meeting, visualized Nanaimo of the future with many sub-post offices in business districts, which he said were residential areas today.

## Require Water

BRENTWOOD, March 16.—Trustees of the Brentwood Water Improvement District are making plans for a vigorous campaign to obtain a supply of water for the area. Those elected at a meeting on Tuesday night were Maurice Atkins, Lorne Thomson, Capt. D. H. McKay, V. C. Dawson and G. V. Williams.

## Want Current For Errington

ERRINGTON, March 16.—At a meeting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. Morley, board members of the Errington Development Association discussed with C. W. Naah, district manager of the B.C. Power Commission, completion of the power project at Errington. It was learned that further development must await this year's appropriation.

## Demonstration Of V.S. Catsup At Gray's Fine Foods

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By JOSEPH MCCORD

CHAPTER VII—Continued  
But Carol was ready enough to talk of other matters and Wige found himself following her lead with no particular enthusiasm, until she had walked with less difficulty the last time she saw him. If only something could be done to help it not cure his trouble, he was always so uncomplaining. And it was nothing short of marvelous the things he could do with his hands. That was one topic that served

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at the Junction were filled with cars, loaded with lumber, cement and other materials. A constant procession of trucks rumbled to and from the scene of operations, taking clouds of dust. Big shovels, guided by the engineer's wooden stakes, grunted over their mouthsful of clay. Occasionally a series of blasts rattled windowpanes in near-by houses.

Almost any able-bodied Jerichoian who was not averse to manual labor could find a job. Those who were not interested, but with leisure time on their hands, flocked daily to the site to watch the activity.

Bosses and workers quickly exhausted the resources of the old Hanscomb House and overflowed into any private homes that would accommodate them. Others took advantage of the greater facilities offered by Centerdown, the near-by county seat. A thirty group there lost no time in organizing a bus line to transport men to and from the new job.

And of all the influx none was busier than C. H. Dennison in his capacity as liaison man for the company, his government and the contractor. Wige Lennon was the first man in town to learn what that C. H. stood for.

Rubbing his thin hands and smiling frostily, Mr. Higgins had brought the newcomer to Wige's wicket and introduced the two young men. Mr. Dennison wished to open a personal account and would Mr. Lennon see to it that he was afforded every courtesy possible. A glint in the elderly banker's eye conveyed an

**A "THOR-oughly" GOOD IDEA**  
I WAS SITTING AT MY DESK the other day, thinking of WHAT... made a business day? Was it Service... low prices, plus good will, that rang the bell to open the till? Or was it a sharp... competitive fight, and the theory "The Customer is Always Right?" Now SURELY I Right? It's MORE than that, so in a muddle... I sat and sat. Washing my time... down at the store, when my eye hit upon... a gleaming "Thor." That's the name of a washer, as I probably know, we have 'em lined up... row on row. Then something happened... the strangest sight, a flock of women seemed there, like a dream in the night. And they all had children, and babes in arms, and their unkempt hair lessened their charms. Corrugated washboards most of them dragged, a worn-out bunch that drooped & sagged. In front of each "Thor" they leaned for support, 'tho one collapsed... on a davenport. Suddenly in my dream (twas day, NOT night) the row of washers... faded from sight. And just as I jumped to that place (afraid they would all... fall flat on their face), I knew at once... I was on the right tack, as the ladies faded... and the "Thors" came back. The answer was... very plain to see, before... I was only... just thinking of me. And how much money... it would mean, when ever we sold... a washing machine. But when this process... was reversed, & selfishness was... completely disbursed, then the meaning of business (as day follows night) was in making another's life MORE BRIGHT. So further this theme... I'm gonna explore, 'cause the following day... Vanished each "Thor." All but one, that didn't support, but "She" came in too... & bot THAT DAVENPORT.

"How are you today, Miss Delaine?" was his adroit greeting. "Please don't get up. And you don't need to trot out a bottle... unless it's a friendly one." He smiled at the idea.

"Then you haven't hurt yourself again?" Carol quickly recovered her composure.

"No indeed. I'm watching my steps these days. One scare like that's quite enough."

"Doctor Silverthorne isn't in just now," she explained demurely. "I don't want to see him... interesting as he is. I dropped up to see you."

"To see me?"

"Yes. If you're not busy, I'm going to treat myself to loaf in that rocking chair... exactly one cigarette long. Do you mind?"

"Of course not," was the quiet answer.

Her caller lighted a cigarette, but seemed to be in no haste to state his errand and Carol bent over her work, uncomfortably aware that two grey eyes were studying her. What could he possibly want?

"Chester's complete annoyance, the excuse he had formulated now seemed so trumped-up that he felt less than simple. It was the second time this calm-faced girl had succeeded in giving him that same estimate of himself. Perhaps it accounted for her being rather persistently in the background of his thoughts during all the busy days since he had spoken to her. He wasn't accustomed to having anyone do that to him. If she had been anybody in the world except Delaine's daughter. He wouldn't admit it, even to himself, but after curiosity was responsible for that visit, the reason for that curiosity was something else again. Chester hadn't allowed himself to go into that.

"I'm beginning to feel quite the citizen here, Miss Delaine," he ventured for want of a better start. "I suppose you know that I have an office, too. Not to mention starting housekeeping."

"Yes. I know," Carol did not look up.

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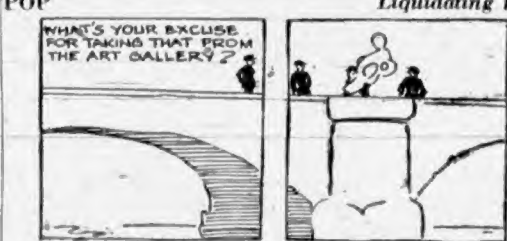
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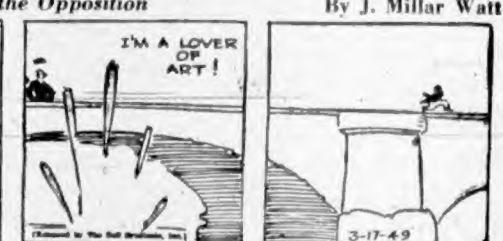
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## Liquidating the Opposition



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## Good News



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## Rate Reduction Said Probable

Reduction of fire insurance rates in Ward One and Three and the inner portion of Ward Five is almost assured if a third firehall is built in the municipality, Reeve E. C. Warren said yesterday.

The new hall would give protection to the areas concerned, he said.

Reeve Warren has stated he will ask council to call for tenders on the third hall in the near future. It will be paid for from money received from the sale of reverted properties.

Following completion of the No. 2 Hall on East Saanich Road, the rates in the vicinity of the new hall were reduced from \$1.40 per \$100 to 80 cents. Residents of the area which would be protected by the proposed structure are hoping for similar cuts.

## Announcements

Provincial Social Credit Convention, Saturday, 19th March, Loughheed's Banquet Club, Victoria. Registration 9 a.m., open to all members. Banquet, same place 6:30 p.m. Guest speaker, Mr. L. D. Byrne, technical adviser sent to Canada by Major C. H. Douglas. Members of the public sponsored by Social Crediters are invited to attend the banquet. Tickets \$1.50, obtainable from P. E. Harris, 818 Douglas Street, or phone 5-0933. Accommodation limited; please apply early.

You are invited to attend the combined annual meeting of the Community Chest, Community Welfare Council, Family Welfare Association, Children's Aid Society, and Sunshine Camp, to be held in the main auditorium of the Britannia Branch, Canadian Legion Hall, Corner of Main and Douglas Streets, at 8 p.m. on Thursday, March 17, 1948. Financial statements and reports will be presented. Dr. J. M. Ewing, president of Victoria College, will be the guest speaker.

Arts Centre of Greater Victoria, 823 Broughton Street (near the Royal Theatre). The exhibition of photographs by the Victoria Camera Club has been transferred from the Rotunda of Parliament Buildings to the Arts Centre and will be on display until 6 p.m., Saturday, March 19. Daily 11-6. Entrance 25c. Free to members of both societies.

W. M. Sparke wishes to make known to his policyholders, clients and friends that on and after March 17 his office will be with Fleming Gardner & Co., 307 Soild Building, 1207 Douglas Street. The new telephone number is G 7741. Residence telephone as before, viz., G 4388.

Salvage Collection! The Salvation Army will pick up from your door salvage of all kinds. Used clothing, shoes, furniture, your rag, household mattresses, carpets, rugs, cartoon boxes, newspapers, magazines, rendered false. When you give it to the Army it is to help others. Phone G 7612.

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Crime Magazines. The Nursery School Association has arranged an open meeting at Prince Robert House for Friday, March 18, at 8 p.m., at which Mrs. T. W. A. Gray will speak on "Crime Books and Their Influence on the Rising Generation."

Attention—All-Irish concert, March 17, 8 p.m., Lake Hill Community Hall. Sponsored by the Lake Hill Catholic Women's League. Instrumental music, vocal selections, Irish dances. Everybody welcome. Admission 50c. Children 35c.

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## Rose Pruning Demonstrated at Park



Under auspices of Victoria Horticultural Society, rose pruning demonstrations were staged yesterday in Rose Garden, Beacon Hill Park. Photo shows Alex Johnston, of park staff, conducting demonstration before interested group of spectators. Second demonstration will be held Saturday afternoon at Oak Bay Rose Garden.

## Medical Plan Good Experience For Health Scheme--Pearson

British Columbia's plan of providing medical service for pensioners and social assistance cases will provide valuable experience in setting up an overall health insurance scheme, Health and Welfare Minister George E. Pearson told the Legislature yesterday.

He thought the cost of complete medical insurance might run to \$16,500,000 annually but made it plain there was too little in the way of facts to make any accurate estimate.

Odd Fellows Spring Dance—Saturday, March 19. Progressive whist, 8:30 p.m. Dancing 9-12. Good orchestra. Odd Fellows Hall, Douglas Street. Admission 25c.

Metropolitan Young People's Union will hold a St. Patrick's Day tea, Saturday, March 19, from 2:30 to 5, in the schoolroom Metropolitan Church.

Salvage Collection for Oak Bay, Shoal Bay, and Uplands. We collect rags, paper, household mattresses and all kinds of bottles. Phone E 3413.

You can now get your Remon repaired while you wait. Metalcraft Lighter Repair, 703 Port Street, at Kilburn's the Jewellers.

Tea and Bingo, Saturday, March 19, 2:30 p.m., Douglas Room, Hudson's Bay. O.O.R.P. Auxiliary. B.P.O. Elks. Tickets 25c.

Rummage Sale at the Public Market, Saturday, March 19, by the Elk Troop Group Committee. Special new articles.

Birthday of Victoria, Lady Douglas Chapter, I.O.G.E., tea, Douglas Room, Hudson's Bay, 3 p.m., March 19. Good program. Admission 35c.

Bee-Keeping short course, March 21, 22 and 23, 8 p.m., Prince Robert House. V.I. Division, B.C. Honey Producers' Association.

Twilight Recital by the Melodians at First Baptist Church, Sunday, 3 p.m.

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## Former City Lawyer Remanded On Charge of Attempted Fraud

On a charge of intent to defraud a Saanich widow of \$3,131, J. Perival Walls, 1140 Government Street, former city barrister, was remanded to this afternoon for his election at a special sitting of Saanich Police Court yesterday morning.

Walls was not represented by counsel and made no application for bail.

The accused was disbarred by the Benchers of the Law Society of British Columbia on January 31, 1948.

Walls was arrested on Yates Street Tuesday night. It was charged that between August 12, 1946 and January 18, 1948, he unlawfully converted \$3,131 belonging to Mrs. Isabella E. Corbie, 1884 Knight Avenue, Saanich, in a manner "with intent to defraud in violation of his trust."

**CASHED CHEQUE**  
Allan E. Powell, 810 Market Street, pleaded guilty to two charges of unlawfully cashing Family Allowance cheques not entitled to him and was remanded until Friday for sentence and a probation officer report.

Charge was laid by Royal Canadian Mounted Police Constable H. C. Draper, and George F. Gregory acted on behalf of the Crown. The offences took place in May and August, 1947, in Vancouver. Both cheques were for \$14. Mr. Gregory said the accused gave wrong information regarding his status.

Nicholas Prociat, charged with having liquor in a Flagard Street restaurant, pleaded not guilty and was remanded until Friday for trial.

**GOING HOME**  
Thomas Raynor, sailor, who has pleaded guilty to stealing a suitcase, was released in custody of the Royal Canadian Navy awaiting discharge.

"I note this is your first offence, but I also note that you have made a pretty poor start in life. If discharged I doubt if you would get a start here," said Magistrate H. C. Hall.

**Premiums May Be "Too Low"**  
Warning that premiums for participation in British Columbia's hospital insurance scheme may have been set a little too low was given to the Legislature yesterday by Health and Welfare Minister George E. Pearson.

He said a year's operation would give the Government more accurate information on costs and pleaded with members not to press for extensions of services until the scheme had a chance to get running properly.

The minister noted that when costs were being estimated in planning the scheme, the rise in the cost of living had been accurately forecast but hospital operation costs had not.

Raynor said he was prepared to go back to his parents on the Prairies after his discharge, in reply to a question by the magistrate. He will be remanded from week to week until the discharge comes through.

**LEASEHOLD CHARGES**  
Mary Louise Partridge, 2888 Austin Avenue, was found guilty of four charges under the Wartime Leasehold Regulations and fined a total of \$40 and \$230 costs. One charge was dismissed. The offence took place at 45, San Jose Avenue.

## City Audience To Hear Talk On Far East

The struggle between democracy and Communism in the Far East will be outlined in the Victoria College Normal School auditorium.



PROFESSOR J. M. MAKI

Saturday, March 19, at 8:15 p.m., by Professor J. M. Maki, of the University of Washington.

Professor Maki's address is sponsored jointly by the Victoria College Evening Division and the local branch of the United Nations Society.

Professor Maki is an expert in the field of Japanese government and politics. During the World War he was employed by the Federal Communications Commission, the United States State Department and the War Department of the United States. He holds a Ph.D. degree from Harvard University.

## Estimates Set For Highway

The city was assured in a letter from Fisheries Minister R. W. Mayhew yesterday that \$150,000 had been included in Federal Government's 1949-50 estimates as its share in construction costs on the proposed Patricia Bay highway.

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## Bill to Provide Cabinet Control Over Resources

### Could Give Industrial Concerns Water Power, Property at Will

Unrestricted powers to conclude agreements with industrial concerns wishing to use British Columbia's water power resources are granted the Government in a bill presented in the Legislature yesterday by Lands and Forest Minister E. T. Kenney.

## Pay Boost Means Fare Jump

VANCOUVER, March 17 (CP)—A. J. Grauer, president of the British Columbia Electric Railway Company, said today that street-car and bus fares would have to be increased if current demands of the Street Railwaymen's Union for higher wages are met.

He said that no pay increase can be absorbed in the present fare structure.

The union is demanding a 40-hour week and a 25 cents an hour pay hike across the board.

Mr. Grauer said the company had a net income of some \$2,600,000 in 1948, compared with \$1,900,000 in 1947.

He said this was due to improved and enlarged facilities and increased power consumption.

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## Hongkong Force of 1,539 Granted Special Bonus

OTTAWA, March 17 (CP)—Members of Canada's ill-fated Hongkong force will be eligible for special Pacific pay, Defence Minister Claxton announced today in the Commons.

However, the bonus will date only from June 1, 1945, to two months after their arrival back in Canada. In most cases it will range from about \$60 to around \$200. Some 1,539 persons, including 71 officers and 1,468 other ranks, will be eligible.

They are members of the Winnipeg Grenadiers and the Royal Rifles of Canada of Quebec, who were captured at Hongkong. Another 555 were killed in action, died in prison or of war camps or were listed as missing.

### NOT WIDOWS

Mr. Claxton did not mention widows, and a Defence Department spokesman said they would not receive the bonus. The widows are receiving pensions.

Pacific pay, Mr. Claxton said, was arranged for members of the Canadian army Pacific forces which made up the 6th Division, organized after VE-Day to fight with United States forces against Japan because of the difference in United States and Canadian army pay.

Effective June 1, 1945, it was paid to a handful of members of the division who left Canada and began training in the United States. None saw service in the Far East, but the extra pay, ranging from 30 cents a day for a private to \$1 a day for officers over the rank of major, was effective from the time they left Canada.

Because of various representations, and in spite of a general departmental rule against any pay provisions retroactive, the Hongkong force will get the extra pay as from the date the provision became effective.

### RETURN VARIED

The Hongkong force returned to Canada at various dates, but all were repatriated by the end of 1945.

In reply to a question by Maj. Gen. O. R. Peck (P.C., Nanaimo), Mr. Claxton said consideration had been given to extension of Pacific pay to other Canadian units who served in the Pacific. However, "a very definite decision has been made against it."

"I held all the cards in this case," he stated, "because I never gamble, so how could I win \$3,000? But I wasn't taking any chances, so I sent the case to Anthony Hyuka, (Social Credit member of the House of Commons for Vegreville). He brought it up on the floor of the House at Ottawa."

"Now Mr. Hyuka tells me that the income tax people in Ottawa have advised him that I should not worry any more about this demand for \$600 on money I couldn't have made. Yet, the Edmonton Income Tax Office is writing me again, asking me for more information on gambling I never fool around with."

"During the chat he asked me if there was much gambling going on around here," said Tom. "In conversation I told him that quite a few of the fellows did a bit of it, like they do in any town. Later

## Israel Takes Canadian Ship Nanaimo County



The flag of Israel is hoisted over the Sa. Haifa, formerly the 10,800-ton Canadian freighter Nanaimo County, at a ceremony at Potts Cove Pier, New York. It was the first Israeli ship to be commissioned in U.S. waters. In this picture the chief mate of the ship hoists Israel's flag as a Canadian flag is handed to Capt. Terrence Bond (second from left) by Maxwell T. Stuart (second from right), Canadian Trade Commissioner. At left is Rep. Jacob K. Javits, chairman of the ceremony. The ship was transferred from Canadian registry to the Israel American line, its new owners.

## Wisner To Query Gambling

"Club or no club" Chinese in Vancouver won't be permitted to evade the Criminal Code by gambling, Attorney-General Gordon S. Wisner stated yesterday.

He was commenting on reports that Vancouver City Council had granted a private club licence to the High On Club, first social club licence ever granted to Chinese.

The reports said that this meant, for the first time in history, the Chinese would be able to gamble legally as long as none of the games involved a "take-off" to the club. A ten-cent charge covers membership for a year, but members also pay a nominal rental fee per hour to play Pi Gow, Um Gow, Ma Jong and an Oriental form of bingo.

### END RAIDS

It was expected formation of the club and "legalized" gambling might end continual raids by police on the Chinese community.

Attorney-General Wisner said he intended to look into the whole situation as soon as the Legislative session was over.

He noted permission to operate the club was given by the City Council and not by his department. It was possible that everything was legal, said Mr. Wisner, since there was a Supreme Court decision allowing clubs to charge a rental fee in games of chance in private clubs.

Other observers here maintained that the Chinese were merely being granted privileges now held by Occidental clubs.

## Prime Minister Assails P.C.'s

OTTAWA, March 17 (CP)—An angry Prime Minister St. Laurent suggested during a tumultuous Commons exchange today that Progressive Conservatives are trying to stage a veiled filibuster on the Government's emergency controls legislation.

The Prime Minister lashed out at the official opposition after George Drew, Progressive Conservative leader, had charged the Government with "pretending" a "war emergency" still exists so it could continue "dictatorial orders."

An uproar of desk-thumping, jeers and approving shouts rocked the Chamber during a brief duel between the leaders. For sheer volume of sound, it probably outdid any of the previous explosions that have broken out in the Commons during a series of exchanges between the two leaders in the session.

It started when Mr. Drew renewed criticism of Government procedure on controls as the Prime Minister moved a resolution — subsequently carried without a vote — to extend the daily sitting hours of the House until the passage of four emergency measures.

Criticizing sarcastically the "new lessons in propriety of procedure" being given by Mr. Drew, the Prime Minister said the procedure now being followed was that which the Progressive Conservatives had recommended two years ago.

But on the other hand, he declared, they were saying that more opportunities should be provided for "filibustering debate."

The Canadian vessels, largest concentration of the Dominion's naval power since the war, will carry out detailed exercises with the Royal Navy before proceeding to St. John, Antigua.

The East and West Coast squadrons hooked up in the Canal Zone Wednesday and shaped course for the Leeward Islands on Spring maneuvers.

For the last week operation has been on a day-to-day basis—if enough orders are received today, the mine will work tomorrow.

Every year as winter fades, there is a reduction in orders for coal. Before the war this slump often extended over several months. But in the last ten years this seasonal slump has been brief and even nonexistent in some years.

The income tax people sent me an approval of my returns. Then this February, I get notice that if I don't pay tax on \$3,000 worth of gambling winnings, they will take legal action against me.

The Edmonton Income Tax Branch refused to comment on the case.

## Figures in Russian Cabinet Shifts



NIKOLAI VOZNESENSKY

IVAN GOLIKOV

ANATOLI VOLIN

Shown here are the men figuring in two new major cabinet shifts announced by the Supreme Presidium of the Soviet Union. Nikolai Voznesensky was "relieved" of his duties as president of the Russian state planning commission and succeeded by Maxim Saburov, vice-chairman of the council of ministers. Ivan Golikov was removed from his post as chairman of the U.S.S.R. Supreme Court. Anatoli Volin was appointed to succeed him.

## Russian Zone Drive For Control Starts

## Air Hunt Planned For Ship

HALIFAX, March 17 (CP)—The R.C.A.F. said here tonight search for the 26-ton motor vessel MacMariner, reported missing off the west coast of Newfoundland, will begin early tomorrow.

MacMariner carries a crew of eight. The air force said the two-masted vessel last was reported along the 60-mile stretch between Cape Ray and Cape St. George.

R.C.M.P. at Sydney, N.S., said heavy fogs were reported in the Cape Ray-Cape St. George area yesterday. Extent of the fog field was not immediately known.

MacMariner's port of registry was not given nor was her destination known.

## BULLETIN

### One Killed

NEW WESTMINSTER, March 17 (CP)—James Lamont of Ladner, B.C., was killed instantly tonight and five other persons were critically injured in a spectacular head-on collision on the King George Highway, 13 miles south of here.

Robert Smith and Geraldine Smith, both of Fernside, Wash., riding in a United States car, were described as critical cases. They held slim hopes for the recovery of Smith, whose scalp was almost sheared off.

The car collided with a light panel delivery truck carrying four British Columbians—Edna Dunning of White Rock, Mr. and Mrs. MacSweeney of White Rock, and the fatally. All were rushed to hospital in two ambulances. Preliminary diagnosis showed all suffered multiple fractures.

## Pact Talk Set By Pearson

VANCOUVER, March 17 (CP)—External Affairs Minister Lester B. Pearson will make a special address over the trans-Canada network of the C.B.C. Friday at 8:45 p.m. P.S.T. It was announced today. His subject will be the North Atlantic defence pact.

## Woman Dies in Rooming House Fire, Two Others Slightly Hurt in Escape

Mrs. Mary McHale Bird, 38, was burned to death early yesterday morning in a fire that swept through a rooming house at 816 Pembroke Street.

Two other women, Mrs. E. E. Hand, 63, and Miss Dorothy Clayton, 32, of 959 Maddison Street, escaped from the blazing house with minor injuries and were released from St. Joseph's Hospital after treatment.

Charles L. Sheels, 57, and Leslie Keating, 50, of 735 Pandora Avenue, the only other occupants of the two-story building, escaped without injury.

After investigation of the charred interior of the house, Fire Chief Robert T. Brindle declared: "We can only suspect that Mrs. Bird was smoking in bed."

### CORNER ALIGHT

Flames had already engulfed the whole southwest corner of the house, around Mrs. Bird's room, before they attracted the attention of a neighbor, Mrs. H. Shingler, 2107 Blanchard Street, who phoned in the first fire alarm at 3:31 a.m.

She said crying of her seven-month-old grandson awakened her and she noticed flickering reflections in her room.

"When we got there the whole house was a boiling mass of flame," said Assistant Fire Chief Frank Brindle, who directed the operations

## German Communists Seek Unity Under Soviet Orbit

BERLIN, March 17 (AP)—Soviet-controlled German Communists launched a campaign tonight to woo all of Germany into the Russian orbit. The keynote of their campaign is a call for unified Germany under Communist control.

The Communists seek to control Germany by creating an Eastern German state.

The constitution for this state is scheduled to be rubber-stamped by the Communist-led "People's Council" of Eastern Germany. A vote on the draft constitution may come as soon as Saturday.

While setting up this constitution for Eastern Germany, the Communists are charging the Western Powers with splitting the nation by establishing a West German state.

Apparently the Communists are speeding their takeover in Eastern Germany to create a satellite East German state before the Western Powers can get the West German state functioning.

The Communist call to Germans is baited with strong hints that the Soviet Union will withdraw its occupation troops in this event, leaving Germany "free."

The Communist drive is expected to win few adherents in Western Germany except among members of the minority Communist Party there.

## Can't Build Bus Stops—Carson

Arthur Ash (Cln., Saanich) was turned down by Works Minister E. C. Carson yesterday on a request that the department build bus stops on highways because of the traffic hazard created by buses stopping to unload passengers.

Mr. Carson acknowledged it was one of the things the department would have to keep in mind for the future. It would cost a lot of money applied throughout the province, he said.

"At present we should take all the money we can and spend it on roads we drive on," declared Mr. Carson. "We haven't enough money to spend on frills at this time."

## Forest Plan Defended, Needs Chance—Kenney

Only alternative to the Government's plan of forest management is state control of forests, Lands and Forests Minister E. T. Kenney declared last night as debate on the issue raged back and forth across the House for two hours.

The debate saw members of the C.C.F. endorsing and defending Mr. Kenney's management plan and members on the Government side frequently attacking it.

Herbert Gargrave (C.C.F., MacKenzie) said he found himself in the position of defending the minister. In his own riding and losing lots of votes for it because it was the only conservation policy yet put forward.

He attacked the B.C. Truck Loggers' Association, charging it to attack the Government's policy at its convention this year without attempting to put forward any constructive ideas.

### GETS TIRED

"I get tired of their sniping and snipping at the heels of the minister," he declared. "It's time they put up or shut up."

In a fighting speech in defence of forest management, Mr. Kenney said there had been plenty of political log rolling on the whole question.

"All who have objected to the plan would have been happy if they had received licenses," he declared.

It was his department's unpleasant duty to adjudicate, the minister said, and it was a great guarantee to the Province that only two licences

had been issued since the plan was introduced two years ago.

"If given a chance to work this plan will work," asserted Mr. Kenney, "but it won't if you have everybody knifing you in the back."

## Nanaimo Vote Approves Four By-Laws

NANAIMO, March 17.—Nanaimo ratepayers put their stamp of approval on four city by-laws today. A total of 909 voted out of 2,000 eligible.

Results are as follows: Road construction by-law giving authority to spend \$5,200 on road construction on Ravine Street from Commercial Street to Comox Road, 758 yds; 183 no; 20 rejected.

Property purchasing by-law, authorizing expenditure of \$10,000 to purchase property at the north end of Ravine Street and Comox Road for street widening purposes, 690 yes; 190 no; 28 rejected.

Drainage by-law authorizing expenditure of \$17,000 on Ravine Street for sewerage and drainage, 738 yes; 183 no; 18 rejected.

Sports grounds by-law authorizing parks board to expend \$5,000 to install flood lighting on Central Sports Grounds, 599 yes; 277 no; 32 rejected.

The house is owned by her mother, Mrs. M. McNulty.

She also leaves a nine-year-old son, Roland, in Vancouver.

Coroner E. C. Hart has ordered an inquest into the circumstances surrounding her death for 10 a.m. at Chaplin's Funeral Parlor.

(See picture, Page 3)

## Highs and Lows Of the Weather

|               | Min. | Max. | Precipitation |
|---------------|------|------|---------------|
| Montreal      | 19   | 20   | 24            |
| Toronto       | 9    | 11   | —             |
| Port Arthur   | 9    | 7    | 23            |
| Winnipeg      | 3    | 10   | —             |
| Saskatoon     | —    | 24   | —             |
| Swift Current | 3    | 24   | —             |
| Medicine Hat  | —    | —    | —             |
| Lethbridge    | 1    | 36   | —             |
| Calgary       | 6    | 30   | —             |
| Edmonton      | 7    | 27   | —             |
| Windsor       | 31   | 40   | —             |
| Pasadena      | 33   | 43   | —             |
| Vancouver     | 43   | 65   | —             |
| VICTORIA      | 60   | 88   | —             |
| San Francisco | 59   | 74   | 24            |
| Prine George  | 51   | 39   | —             |
| Seattle       | 46   | 50   | 18            |
| San Jose      | 16   | —    | —             |
| SAN FRANCISCO | 44   | 60   | —             |
| Los Angeles   | 43   | 63   | —             |
| San Jose      | 31   | 24   | —             |
| Whitehouse    | 18   | 37   | —             |